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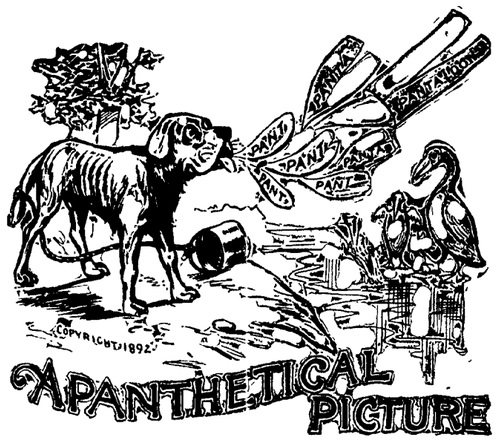

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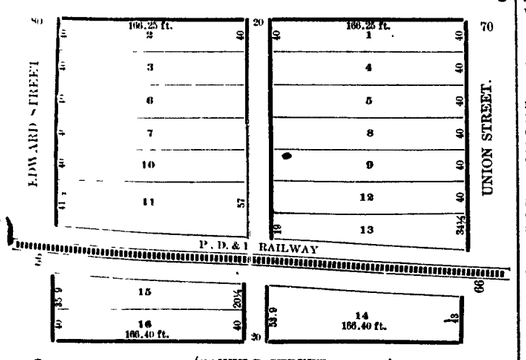

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OVER TEN MILLIONS.

The Increasing Attendance at the World's Fair.

THE DAILY AVERAGE OVER 81,000.

Paid Attendance for May, 1,050,357; for June, 2,675,113; for July, 2,761,263, and for August, 3,209,463—The Charges Against Higby.

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Secretary Dickinson of the national commission received from Secretary Carlisle yesterday a telegram requesting him to increase the amount of his bond as disbursing officer at the fair from $25,000 to $75,000. Mr. Carlisle's telegram also said that considerable complaint had reached his office about the delay in paying the vouchers of foreign and domestic judges. Secretary Dickson has received only three drafts from Washington for the payment of the judges, one for $20,000, one for $15,000 and the other for $5,000. The first amount was paid out in two days, the second in one and the last in two hours.

The delay, it is said, has been in getting money to Chicago from Washington and not in disbursing it here. Secretary Dickinson will increase his bond to the amount asked and then larger sums of money can be sent and payment of vouchers made faster.

Paid admissions to the fair since May 1 have passed the 10,000,000 mark. The paid attendance for the month of August has surpassed that of any previous month by over 700,000. The total paid attendance for August, not including yesterday, as given out by the department of admission is 3,308,328. The paid attendance for yesterday was about 150,000. If these figures prove to be accurate, the total for the month, according to official reports, will be 3,112,415, and the grand total since the opening of the fair will be close to 10,300,000. The total paid attendance for May was 1,050,357; for June, 2,675,113; for July. 2,761,263. The average daily paid attendance since May 1 has been a little over 81,000.

The special committee appointed by the national commission to investigate the charges against F. D. Higbee the juror in the Manufacturers department who is charged with an attempt to sell the first award for the safe exhibits to a Buffalo firm, met yesterday morning. Mr. Carey of the safe company, who filed the affidavit against Higbee, was the first witness. He repeated the statements contained in his affidavit. His son-in-law testified that he had overheard a conversation between Carey and Higbee in which the former refused to give anything for the award. The investigation will be continued to-day.

Ottoman Empire Day.

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Special festivities marked "Ottoman Empire Day" at the fair yesterday in recognition of the seventeenth anniversary of the commencement of the reign of Abdul Hamid, sultan of Turkey. Under the auspices of the imperial Ottoman commissioner-general Ibrihim Hakki Bey, and the imperial Ottoman commissioner, Fahri Bey, a celebration was held at the exposition yesterday. The principal features of the programme arranged were a Mohammedan festival in the Turkish village in Midway plaisance at noon; a prade of all Musselmen and those within Turkish jurisdiction to the Turkish pavilion at 3 o'clock and a grand summer night festival or fete champetre in the Sylvan dell at 8 o'clock last evening. The fete was given to the Turkish commission, exposition officials, foreign commissioners and a number of invited guests.

Paid Admissions to the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—The paid admissions to the World's fair yesterday were 147,048.

A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

A Train on the Boston & New Albany Goes Through a Bridge.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 1.—A terrible accident to the western express 16 on the Boston & Albany railroad, due at Springfield at 1:15 o'clock, happened at the second railroad bridge east of Chester yesterday afternoon. The bridge collapsed, letting the train through into the river below. The engineer, Horton, and the fireman, Mitchell, both residing in East Albany, are among the dead. Five cars went through.

The train consisted of a buffet car, dining car, three sleepers and two ordinary coaches, and was in charge of Conductor John Sough. The bridge was over the west branch of the West field river.

Two wrecking trains left Springfield immediately after the accident. On the latter train were Medical Examiner Breck and Dr. Seely, of Springfield. The injured are being cared for by the people of Chester. The train was running at an ordinary rate of speed, as it left Albany on time, and no danger was feared until the moment the bridge sank under the weight of the locomotive. The river bed is some ten or twelve feet below the bridge. The engine went through first, and five palace cars were piled upon it one above another.

A Desperate Man Saved from Himself.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Sept. 1.—Just before noon yesterday, Seymour S. Lawson rushed into a lawyer's office where his wife was having a divorce application made out, and attempted at first to shoot her and her mother, but they both escaped. He then turned and shot Joseph Hunter, who worked for Mrs. Lawson's mother and had accompanied the ladies to the law office. One ball grazed Hunter's side, the other was embedded in his watch. His injuries are not serious. Lawson was arrested and then attempted suicide with poison, but was saved by the doctors.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Surveyor Collier, of Louisville, Ky., has resigned

—Anton Stover, landscape painter, died recently at the Hague, at the age of 70.

—The bullion in the bank of England increased £1,182,700 during the past week.

—Nine fresh cases of cholera and five deaths were reported in Leerdam, Holland, Wednesday.

—The steamship Aller which arrived at New York yesterday brought 1,735,000 francs and £30,000 gold

—The Sunday-school workers' convention in St Louis yesterday chose Lewis Miller, of Akron, O., as president.

—U. S Hundy was nominated for congress by the republicans of the Ironton (O) district yesterday on the 107th ballot

—The eighth annual convention of the national association of naval veterans will open next Saturday at Indianapolis, Ind.

—The New York republican state committee at their meeting yesterday decided to hold their convention at Syracuse October 6.

—The Exchange bank of Lyle, Minn., has closed It was a private bank, and is believed to have assets sufficient to cover its liabilities.

—The weekly statement of the Bank of France, published yesterday, shows a decrease of 12,000,000 francs gold and 2,425,000 francs silver.

—Five cars of the 1:50 train from Pittsfield went through the bridge at Chester, Pa., yesterday Three persons were killed and nine injured.

—The house yesterday granted leave to the committees on banking and currency and on coinage, weights and measures to report at any time.

—The Cowles Engineering Co., Brooklyn, has made an assignment. The business of the company was the repairing and altering of vessels.

—The injunction restraining the World's fair directors from closing the gates of Jackson park to the public on Sundays, was yesterday dissolved.

—Michael Schall, an ex-banker of York, Pa., died at his farm, yesterday, from a wound caused by the accidental discharge of his gun while hunting.

—In the Toombs police court in New York, yesterday, A. A. Thompson, was charged with embezzlement to the extent of $19,000, and held in $5,000 bail for trial.

—The Monmouth Park Trotting association of Trenton, N. J., has commenced a libel suit against the New York Times and the New York Tribune, demanding $100,000 damages

—The strike among the longshoremen of New York is at an end. They relinquished the struggle with out gaining a point, and applied for work at the various piers at the reduced rates.

—Gen. Harrison, accompanied by Mrs. Dimmick and Mrs. Parker, left Cape May Point, N. J, yesterday for Indianapolis. The ex-president's departure was hastened by the encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, at which he is expected to make an address

—Police Officer Lyons, of St. Louis, has been divested of his star and locked up, by order of the chief of police, with a charge of murder placed against him for the apparently unjustifiable shooting of Patrick J. Maloney, a journeyman tailor, whose dead body lies on a slab at the morgue.

—The epidemic in Grimsby, an English seaport in Lincolnshire, has been declared officially to be Asiatic cholera, after having been called a "choleraic disease" for many days. The last victim of the disease was a woman, who died last Tuesday Several other cases before hers had ended fatally.

—The freight business of the Jacksonville Southeastern line, running between Peoria, Ill., and St Louis, is tied up by a strike, the trainmen refusing to work on the ground that their wages have not been paid since June. The railroad officials have notified all connecting lines that freight will not be received until the matter is settled.

—Owing to the light summer traffic the lost steamer City of Savannah was but half filled with freight when it sailed from Boston Thursday. The cargo was made up of barrels of pork, ham and bacon, boots and shoes, chairs, gunny cloth and other general merchandise. It was insured by the company for $50,000. The vessel was valued at $200,000.

—The Iron Trade Review, published at Cleveland, O., "To say that the iron market is one week nearer improvement would be a safe, conservative statement, and that is about all the situation warrants, outside of what is to be found in the better feeling produced by the Wilson vote in the house, and the more comfortable condition of the banks."

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association Clubs.

The following games were played yesterday:

AT NEW YORK

New Yorks	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	—6
St Louis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—3

Batteries—Rusie and Milligan; Clarkson and Peitz.

SECOND GAME

New Yorks	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	—8
St Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Batteries—German and Wilson, Hawley and Peitz

AT BALTIMORE

Baltimores	0	1	2	3	0	0	3	0	0	—11
Clevelands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Batteries—Baker and Robinson, Hastings and O'Connor

AT BROOKLYN

Brooklyns	0	0	2	4	0	0	2	0	0	—8
Louisvilles	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—3

Batteries—Daub and Daily, Minafee and Weaver.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphias	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	—4
Pittsburghs	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	—3

Batteries—Carsey and Clements; Ehret and Earle

AT WASHINGTON

Cincinnatis	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—2
Washingtons	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Batteries—Maul and McGuire, Dwyer and Vaughn.

AT BOSTON.

Bostons	4	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	—7
Chicagos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Batteries—Stivetts and Merritt, Abbey and Kittredge

A Gigantic Swindle Unearthed.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Sept. 1.—Several government agents here have unearthed a scheme whereby a steal was to be perpetrated at the strip opening. A fine location on the strip, a large town site, has been partly surveyed by the agents of a wealthy town company, backed by several congressmen from the south. Agents of the company are now hiding in caves and ravines ready to take possession of the site on the opening day, and hold it until the members of the company arrive. The matter is being investigated.

Several hundred boomers have succeeded in crossing the strip to the south side without being molested by soldiers, and large numbers are preparing to follow the main train along the Santa Fe railroad right of way.

A Pallbearer at the Funeral of the Man He Had Killed.

DENVER, Col., Sept. 1.—George Olsen, who killed his brother-in-law, Larry Cavanaugh, at Cripple Creek, Wednesday was released yesterday. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of justifiable homicide. Yesterday afternoon Olsen acted as pallbearer at Cavanaugh's funeral.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

FROM HONOLULU.

Conspiracy of Royalists to Restore the Queen

BY THE USE OF DYNAMITE AND FLAME.

A Native Army Enlisted Under False Pretenses — United States Marines Held in Readiness for an Emergency—The Secret Out.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The steamer Alameda, just arrived from Sydney via Honolulu, brings news from the latter place of a conspiracy of royalists having been arranged to restore the queen, on the 18th, by firing the city, dynamiting the buildings, and then in the panic rushing in and capturing the government building.

About 300 natives had been enlisted for the queen at $40 per month, their pay to commence September 2, or any earlier date at which she might be reinstated. These men were informed that 200 of them were to constitute a court of gendarmes, who were to take the place of the police and conduct a system of military government, under which all enemies of the queen were to be arrested and tried by a military court, and if found guilty summarily shot. To encourage these enlisted men they were told that upon a signal being given by the firing and blowing up of buildings. United States warships would throw their troops ashore and assist the queen's forces to restore her to power; also that they would be in no danger in rushing on the government building.

To keep up this illusion every royalist, white and native, together with their daily papers, has persisted in asserting that its was a certainty the United States would restore the queen. They have made this their cardinal declaration.

In the absence of any sufficient supply of arms it was given out that arms were about to be supplied from the coast by Spreckels, and would shortly arrive. The rumor of such arrivals of arms, to be surreptitiously landed, had been current among the people. The government has been unable to learn of any depot of arms or ammunition, and is satisfied that the conspirators have no supply.

The leading conspirators are well understood to be those previously implicated as represented by names on Spreckles' cane. A meeting of most of these gentlemen was held on the 13th, at the house of ex-Minister Colburn, at Port City, at which time and place it is understood will be decided the time they will execute their attempt.

There was no secret about the action of the admiral. It was made conspicuous by the stoppage of the men's liberty ashore, and was known to be for the purpose of maintaining order and protecting lives and property of American citizens according to instructions to the navy,

It finally became clear to natives enlisted for the queen, that the United States forces were prepared to act against and not with them. This created a tremendous revulsion of feeling and totally disorganized the scheme.

No public alarm had been created by this affair. Most of the facts above stated are still unknown to the Honolulu public and what is known to them came to light only after the admiral's action assured the public of their entire security from the threatened disturbance of the peace. Various sections of their citizen's reserve were early put on the qui vive and the streets quietly patroled. Extra supplies of arms and ammunition have been issued to the 600 volunteers. The government does not at present possess sufficient evidence to justify the arrest of any of the conspirators unless they were to proclaim martial law, which is not called for by any supposed danger.

The personal attitude of the ex-queen is not certainly known, although it is improbable that she has not actually countenanced these conspiracies. She is at present remaining at her residence at Washington place, with a considerable force of men, apparently unarmed, although some of them were former servants or her guard. It is known that just before his departure Mr. Blount positively informed her that she must abandon all idea that the United States would in any way assist her to the throne.

Ryan, the purloiner of the court jewels, has been sentenced to five years. A letter from his sister was produced as evidence, thanking him for two diamonds sent her.

The cases of the two conspirators, St. Clair and Walker, will open before a jury on the 23d. Interesting developments are expected.

No Change in the Situation in Samoa.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—By the Alameda, it is learned that there has been no change in the situation in Samoa. Mataafa has been taken to Union island, and with him are eighteen of his confederates. A number of his followers have been imprisoned or fined. Mataafa will remain on Union island until his final disposition is decided upon by the three powers.

A Diabolical Attempt.

DENVER, Col., Sept. 1.—Some unknown person entered the house of Thomas West, in Montelare, a suburb of this city, chloroformed West, who was sleeping alone in the house, set fire to the place and left West to his fate. Fortunately some neighbors saw the flames in season to rescue West, but the house was burned to the ground. This is the fourth attempt of the kind on the same man and property within a month. On one of these occasions the would-be assassin shot at West as he was trying to put out the flames. West is too ill to talk, but he has declared that he is at a loss to account for the attacks made upon him. There is not a single clew.

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ONE THOUSAND DEAD

Increasing Horrors of the Late Great Storm.

SEA ISLANDS NEARLY DEPOPULATED.

Irreparable and Widespread Destruction of Property—Every Hour Brings its Quota of Dead Bodies Recovered from Land and Sea.

Astounding Stories of Death and Destruction.

YEMASSEE, S. C., Aug. 31.—The Port Royal & Augusta road is a complete wreck beyond the Coosaw, and the country there is well nigh impassable. In addition to the terrible wreckage of Sunday's storm, the evidences of which are everywhere glaringly apparent, the heaviest kind of a rain has fallen, adding to the horror of it all, preventing railroad and telegraph hands from making the repairs so badly needed and rendering transportation across the country almost impossible.

The stories of death and destruction at the sea points have astounded the world. But the real sum is so far beyond that heretofore stated that it seems completely beyond belief. The list of dead and missing, as estimated at Beaufort, foots up to the astonishingly great number of 540. How much greater it may be no one can tell.

On the islands the storm's greatest destructive force was felt, and it was on them that the great loss of life occurred. There are a dozen or more of the islands, and the indications are now that there is scarcely a hamlet or house that is not in mourning. It seems too great to believe, and yet the facts are more appalling than anything yet told shows. It is perfectly safe to say that the loss of life on all the islands will reach 1,000.

The stories of the storm told by the poor people of Beaufort are thrilling. The full force of the storm was felt at 3 o'clock Monday morning. A sea captain says the wind must have been blowing at the rate of 125 miles an hour when its greatest velocity was reached.

The picture of death and desolation that presented itself to the people Monday morning was appalling. Steamships rested upon dry land; trees were twisted and scattered about; at intervals dead bodies were found, while ever and anon the waves would cast up one or more lifeless forms, swollen, distorted and bruised. During the day the bodies continued to multiply so rapidly that Coronor Mills was compeled to swear in a half dozen deputies, one for each of the islands.

It is said that one of the deputies held an inquest over seventy-eight people. While the inquest was being held seventy-eight graves were being dug and seventy-eight bodies, swollen and fast decomposing, were awaiting interment at the hands of their white and colored friends who had escaped death so narrowly. Some of the islands have not yet been heard from at all, while of those heard from there was not a single one which did not increase the death roll. On these the death roll was large, but in many instances the names of the victims can not be ascertained. Many of them were beyond recognition when found, while others were buried as unknown. There are only two steamers at Beaufort now, and both are chartered by the Port Royal & Augusta railroad. This prevents passage between the islands. The coroner, however, and collector of the port, ex-Congressman Small, are compiling the information as fast as it can be obtained and making a record of the dead as fast as possible.

Two Millions in Property and One Thousand Lives Destroyed.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Sept. 1.—A special to the Chronicle from Beaufort, S. C., says over 990 dead bodies have been found on the islands about Beaufort and Port Royal. Over $2,000,000 worth of property has been wrecked near the same points. Every one of the fifteen or twenty islands lying around Port Royal and Beaufort are steeped in sorrow. On every door-knob there is a bunch of crepe. and upon every hillside there are many graves already filled while many more are awaiting the bodies that will be deposited in them just as soon as some one can be found to do the Christian act of shoveling the dirt upon the coffin.

On the beach the undergrowth, shrubbery and marshes are turning up new dead bodies every time an investigation is made.

Of the many disasters and devastations which visited this section of the country, none have been half as horrible as those which came Sunday. Already more than 200 dead bodies have been found, and those who are at all posted about the country and the habits of the people in the storm-visited sections are positive in their prediction that the death roll will run as high as 500. Some of the people, and they are among the best people of this section of the state, even place the loss at more than 1,000.

Drift from the Late Storm.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 1.—Mr. Jacob Paulsen left yesterday morning for Coffin Point, S. C., to bring the survivors of the wrecked steamship City of Savannah here. Reports of the disastrous work of the storm are still coming in. The entire coast is strewn with wreckage and debris, vessels are high and dry in exposed harbors. The bark Clara E. Gillvery, loaded with phosphate, was torn from her moorings and dashed upon shore and lies a quarter of a mile from the dock. The beach and inlets are filled with wrecks of small craft.

Ships Overdue and Missing.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Nothing has been heard this morning at the office of the Clyde steamship line of the steamships Solemine and Yemessee. The Seminole was bound from Jacksonville, Fla., for this port. She left Jacksonville last Monday night for New York and should have been reported from Charleston.

The Yemessee left Savannah Monday and was due at Charleston this morning. The agents believe that both ships are aschored outside the bar at Charleston.

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FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(Extra Session.)

SENATE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—The morning business having been disposed of, the senate, on motion of Mr. Voorhees (dem., Ind.), took up act, and Mr. Wolcott (rep., Col.) addressed the senate in opposition to it.

As soon as the first tones of Mr. Wolcott's voice rang out conversation ceased throughout the hall and senators settled themselves to enjoy the oratorical treat. The senator cast his allusions in the opening paragraphs to the sudden and remarkable conversion of democratic statesmen to the monometallic views of the president and amused senators on the floor and spectators in the galleries; but there was no demonstration beyond a general smile.

Mr. Sherman listened with keen attention for about half an hour and then quietly withdrew. Mr Vance left his own side of the chamber and took a chair near the speaker; but he followed Mr. Sherman's example and went back to his own. Mr. Voorhees and Mr. Gorman sat beside each other and occasionally conversed in whispers, but the Maryland senator also retired from the chamber.

At the close of Mr. Wolcott's speech Mr. Mills gave notice that he would next Wednesday speak on the repeal bill.

Then the floor was taken by Mr. Caffery (dem., La.). His maiden speech in the senate was in favor of the unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman act. He was proud of the position of his native state on the money question. She had always been sound; and if his feeble efforts would avail she always would be Sorely tempted, she refused, in 1879, to repudiate the principal of her bonded debt. Now the seductive offer was made to debase the national currency, but her senators on this floor, true to their conviction and their state, had put aside the insidious proposition.

Mr. Cullom gave notice that he would address the senate on the repeal bill next Monday.

A motion having been offered by Mr. Peffer to take up the resolution heretofore offered by him as to national banks refusing to pay depositors' checks in currency, Mr. Voorhees said that if senators were not prepared to go on with the discussion he had no objection to other minor matters being taken up, providing that the repeal bill was not replaced. However, if he found at any time that discussion on the repeal bill was exhausted he should ask for a vote

Mr. Cullom said that he should be glad to aid the senator from Indiana in securing a vote at any time, whether he had made a speech on the bill or not.

Mr. Noorhees said he was aware that it was the intention of senators to indulge in further debate. He trusted that there would be a liberal allowance for full debate. After it was manifest the discussion was exhausted, and that it was only kept up in order to consume time, he would ask for a vote at every opportunity that presented itself. There would be no interference with senators who wished to discuss the bill, but there would be interference with the purpose of senators to delay action.

The resolutions of the house on the death of Representative Mutchler, of Pennsylvania, were laid before the senate, and expressions of sorrow were offered, when the senate, at 4:15 p. m., as a further evidence of respect to the memory of deceased, adjourned until to-morrow.

HOUSE.

The house resuming consideration of the rules, rejected Mr. Pickler's amendment to increase the membership of the committee on rules; also Mr. Hooker's amendment to increase the membership to fifteen.

On motion of Mr Kilgoro an amendment was adopted giving the committee on ways and means jurisdiction over all measures porporting to raise revenue

The purpose of the amendment is to prevent such measures as the antioptions bill and the oleomargarine act from being referred by the speaker to the committee on agriculture as has been done heretofore.

Mr Springer offered an amendment giving the committee on banking and currency the right to report at any time on matters relating to banking and currency This, after an amendment including the committee on coinage, weights and measures, offered by Mr. Kilgore, was adopted by a vote of 102 to 58

Mr. Outhwaite, a member of the committee on rules, suggested that the gentleman's amendment went further than his remarks would lead the house to believe. It would strike out the clause which provides that it should always be in order to call up for consideration a report from the committee on rules

Mr. Hooker then modified his amendment so as to make it refer merely to the right of the speaker to decide what are arbitrary motions

Mr. McDearmon criticised the rules of the fifty-first congress, and especially the decisions of Speaker Reed before any rules had been adopted.

A reference made by him to the decision of the supreme court brought Mr Reed to his feet who argued that that court had sustained his action; and he said that the time would come when even the gentleman from Missouri would understand what that decision was

Mr. Alderson spoke in opposition to the granting to the speaker of the great power, and sent to the clerk's desk and had read certain extracts from the Record of the fifty first congress criticising Speaker Reed's rulings in the matter of counting a quorum

Mr. Reed said the remarks of the gentleman from West Virginia and the extracts which he had read were only an echo of the chorus of the fifty first congress but he was glad to see that these echoes were dying and not increasing. The gentleman from West Virginia had two years ago uplifted his noble voice in denunciation of the fifty first congress After these two years the gentleman, by enormous mental effort and by the aid of stenographers and the reporters, had evolved the remarkable literary collection to which the house had just listened. He congratulated West Virginia on having two such statesmen, one to lead the house and the other to bring up the rear [Laughter]

Then Mr Outhwaite demanded the previous question, and Mr. Hooker's amendment was rejected.

Mr. Boatner (dem., La.) offered an amendment which practically puts it in the power of any member who is in charge of any proposition on the floor to propose cloture at any time that he thinks it advisable to do so This amendment was briefly debated pro and con, the concensus of opinion being against its adoption.

The previous question on it was ordered and pending further action on it the house adjourned.

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HOLMAN'S last faint echo as he retired from the Appropriations committee: "Mr. Speaker, I object!"

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This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers. For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and $1.00 per bottle, at King & Wood's Drug Store. 6m

TICKETS for the G. A. R. excursion to Indianapolis are now on sale by the Wabash R. R. via either Danville or Lafayette. Close connection in union depots. Three trains daily, leaving at 6:35 a. m. 11:25 a. m. and 10:15 p. m., arriving at Indianapolis at 2:50 p. m., 4:20 p. m. and 2:20 a. m. Tickets will be on sale till Sept. 7th, inclusive. Fare for the round trip only $3.16. A good chance [illegible] friends in Indiana or Ohio

CLOSING OUT SALE!

We have quite a good deal of Hot Weather Clothing which we are closing out. Look at the Bargains in the following list:

All Straw Hats, And we have a very few left go AT COST.

Hot Weather Coats, From 50c up to $8. We have some elegant Silk Coats and Vests for nobby dressers

Negligee Shirts, In Soft and Unlaundered. Our French Crepe Negligee at 50c, is a dandy, is cool and washes well. Some elegant things in Half Laundered Shirts left, all go at ridiculously low prices.

A Good Assortment Of Summer Neckwear to select from.

This Is Trouser Month, And we have many odd Pants, suitable to wear out your present coat and vest, which we can sell you from $1.50 to $7.50.

Our $16.50 Flat-bound, guaranteed all-wool, fast color, black Clay Dress Suit is still our leader, and is the same suit which you will pay competitors $20 for.

Our Children's Department HAS MANY BARGAINS.

We have a big line of Knee Pants and Waists. OUR CHILDREN'S WASH SUITS, just the thing for the boys in this extremely hot weather, go at ANY PRICE.

DON'T FAIL TO AVAIL YOURSELF OF SOME OF THESE BARGAINS.

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DRY GOODS
Decatur Ill.

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Dress Goods.

We have opened and placed on sale our first importation of New Fall Goods. Ladies are invited to see the New Styles now on our counters whether they wish to buy or examine.

NOVELTIES IN

Silks, Satins, Crystals,
Velvets, Suitings,
Hop Sackings, Epingelines,
Velours, Ottomans, Reps,
Empress Cloths, Poplins,

AND THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN

DRESS TRIMMINGS.

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Our Facilities for WATCH, JEWELRY and CLOCK REPAIRING are the Best.

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We have a Large Stock now on hand, such as

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Oranges,
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Candy, Nuts,
Cider, Cheese,
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OUR CANDY FACTORY

Is now in FULL OPERATION turning out some of the best goods in the market. When it comes to H. M. CHOCOLATES and H. M. CREAMS, they are hard to beat. Our candy is made from day to day, and you can rest assured of its being fresh and wholesome.

When in the market for ANY GOODS in our line it will be to your interest to get our prices, as when it comes to

FRUIT

WE TAKE THE LEAD, as our house is located on the Illinois Central tracks and we unload direct from the cars into the building, and thus the fruit does not get bruised and mashed in handling.

GEO. W. EHRHART & CO.,
On Illinois Central Railroad Tracks,
—FRONTING UNION DEPOT.—

Special Tax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special taxes upon the property benefited by the following local improvement: [illegible] ... Dated this 14th day of August, A. D. 1893. L. F. SKELLEY, Collector.

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Special Tax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special taxes upon the property benefited by the following local improvement: The paving and improving of [illegible] street from West Main street, north [illegible] ... Dated this, the 14th day of August, A. D. 1893. L. F. SKELLEY, Collector.

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PATENTS [illegible]

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Mrs. Kate Evans, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of [illegible] ... Dated this 10th day of August, 1893. O. J. [illegible], Administrator.

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[illegible]

ATTORNEY AT LAW, [illegible]

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

R. E. HAMSHER. | W. F. CALHOUN.
HAMSHER & CALHOUN, Prop'rs
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois as second class mail matter.

FRIDAY EVE., SEPT. 1, 1893.

The average reader is now able to see the pusillanimousness of those men who for years have been telling the people that silver was surreptitiously demonetized in 1873.

The political curs who have been yelping at the heels of John Sherman for years got the full benefit of his reliably-bimetal-tipped boot Wednesday, August 30, A. D. 1893.

John Sherman's financial speech consists of the words and advice of a statesman and is in strong contrast with the demagogical vaporings of the Vests and Voorheeses, who think they are now running the government.

Senator Sherman told a great big significant truth when he said that the present panic is unlike others in this, that "in former panics stringency followed failure; in this, failure followed stringency." He told another big truth when he said: "If any of them (the New York National banks) refuse to pay a lawful demand of a depositor, it is an act of bankruptcy and should lead immediately to the appointment of a receiver. This would be the action with any bank in Ohio with $50,000 capital, and should be even more summary with a bank of $10,000,000 capital."

Neither Mr. Bynum nor any other Democrat who talked free silver a year or so ago, but who is speaking and voting against free coinage and for the repeal of the Sherman law now, need take to heart in the least what 58-cent dollar men may say about his "inconsistency." If these Democrats choose they can point to the precedents set by more prominent men than themselves. At the beginning of his career Henry Clay was vehemently against a United States bank. Later on he became one of its strongest advocates, and admitted frankly that he had made a great mistake in the first place. Webster was against a protective tariff, and then for it. Calhoun was for it and then against it. Senator Stewart voted for the demonetization of silver in 1873, and is now a rip-roaring free silverite, because he thinks, foolishly, that free coinage would raise the price of silver. Sir Robert Peel was against the repeal of the corn laws and then repealed them. Mr. Gladstone set out as a Tory and became a Liberal. When circumstances change intelligent men change with them. Ignorant men do not. When sensible men find out they have been mistaken they change their policy, regardless of taunts of "inconsistency." Pig-headed or cowardly men do not.—*Chicago Tribune.*

The foregoing, in illustration of the fact that wise men sometimes change their opinions while fools never do, is just as applicable to the common voter as to men who occupy high places. There are at this time hundreds of men in every community who voted to put the present administration in power, who now see that it was a mistake and not for the best interests of the people. Many of these men are slow to announce their change of opinion publicly lest it might subject them to ridicule. This is very foolish and no man is doing himself justice who sees his error and is not independent enough to confess it. At this time there is every reason why he should do so. First, it would restrain those men in power, whose threats to revolutionize the system upon which our business has been built up and our labor employed and which have contributed so much to our present trouble, from putting those threats into execution and putting our affairs into a still worse condition. Second, why should a voter who has supported the Democratic party and feels that he made a mistake, hesitate to announce his change of opinion when every Democrat in Congress up to within a few months ago was in favor of the free coinage of silver, which was opposed by every Republican, save a few from the silver states, and not only this, but the same Democrats who a year ago refused to join with the Republicans to repeal the silver purchase law, which was enacted to defeat free silver and other proposed silver legislation, now join the Republicans in favor of its repeal. If these men can accept the Republican position, which they have fought for fifteen years, why should the voter who feels that he made a mistake in voting the present administration into power hesitate to make public announcement that through experience his mind has also undergone a change.

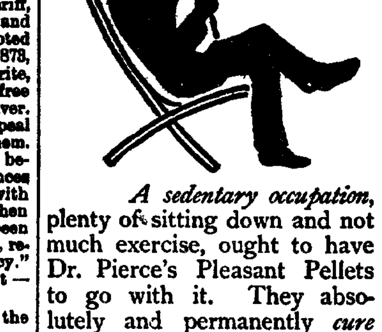
Wasting Time and Emotion.

It is a waste of time and emotion for those laboringmen who stand around and listen to the Henry Georges and the Samuel Gompers talking about an unfair division of property and the avarice of men who employ labor. The employers may be avaricious, and even very mean, but it is a fact, nevertheless, that ninety per cent of the men in the United States who employ labor were once wage-workers themselves, and by their ability to take hold of business opportunities that others disregarded, got to the front and became employers of labor. They became employers through the ordinary channels of the laws of trade. No man ever succeeded in this world by getting sour and falling out with all the rest of the world and kicking at everything in sight. A man may satisfy a mountain of prejudice in that way, but it never won a pound of meat or a loaf of bread, or a friend. A year ago labor was fully employed at good wages, but the demagogues who appealed to unreasoning prejudice succeeded in dissatisfying thousands of laboringmen by telling them that they were not getting a fair divide of the profits of the employer, and that the employer of labor was labor's worst enemy.

Now that labor has lost its employment, these same demagogues who helped to bring labor to its present deplorable condition, are talking about forcing former employers to give labor employment. What nonsense. The reason labor cannot now be employed is because the conditions of trade and business are such that those who employed labor a year ago and were glad to get it, see no profit in its employment now, and the notion that the laws of trade and business can be disregarded by forcing men to employ labor, is just as rediculous as to assume that some power may say that an employer who wants to employ Jones for the benefit of his business—the business that perhaps affords employment to thousands of other men—must employ Smith. Capital can no more be forced [illegible] at a loss or even at a [illegible] profit than labor can be compelled to seek employment.

If the blatant mountebanks who have already done so much harm think there is some way to force those who have been in the habit of employing labor to employ it now, why can't they force the Altgelds and the Carter Harrisons and other millionaires who never employed labor to employ labor now? Why do they direct their attacks on the men who chanced the investment of their money in wheels and boilers and engines and furnaces and mills and mines, and who were paying out billions of dollars annually to labor a year ago. If these men were absolutely bad and the enemies of labor a year ago, and because they have closed their mills are the enemies of labor, why don't the Altgelds and the Harrisons and the Gompers and the whole millionaire humbug guild who have hitherto helped to lead the attack upon capital invested when it employed labor go into the business of employing labor instead of collecting rents and salaries from the toil of labor? Why don't they take their own advice and force themselves to do it?

There is a splendid opening to do just that thing while the other fellows whom they have been abusing are holding off. But there is no danger of them doing any such thing, but instead, they will continue to pour the poison of discontent into the minds of laboringmen, and establish them in the notion that labor's worst enemy is the man who puts his capital to such uses as leads to the employment of labor. Just such bad advisers as these will come to the front on Labor Day, and will harrangue labor after the old style, all of which is a waste of time and emotion and will only agitate in the wrong direction. The full employment of labor at good wages like the business which employs labor proceeds upon business principles, subject to the laws of trade, and not upon the vaporings of Demagogues.



A sedentary occupation, plenty of sitting down and not much exercise, ought to have Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets to go with it. They absolutely and permanently *cure* Constipation. One tiny, sugar-coated Pellet is a corrective, a regulator, a gentle laxative. They're the smallest, the easiest to take, and the most *natural* remedy—no reaction afterward. Sick Headache, Bilious Headache, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, and all stomach and bowel derangements are prevented, relieved and cured.

A great many medicines "relieve" Catarrh in the Head. That means that it's driven from the head into the throat and lungs. But, by its mild, soothing, cleansing and healing properties, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy perfectly and permanently *cures.*

Mayor Bemis of Omaha, nephew of George Francis Train, says the "Citizen's" income is supplied by the latter's daughter, to whom Mr. Train turned over about $200,000 while he was making money. He sets the pace himself, his present allowance being $12 a week, and he says that if he drew $13 he wouldn't know what in the world to do with the odd dollar.

It Should be in Every House.

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay street, Sharpsburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at King & Wood's drug store. Large bottles, 50c and $1.00

Gounod has decided to go to Brussels in the fall to superintend in person the rehearsals of "Sappho," his new opera, which is to be produced early in the operatic season at the Belgian capital. His trip will be notable for the reason that the aged composer is now in poor health and rarely leaves Paris.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, druggist d&w

According to the latest news from Prof. Emerson of Amherst College, who was so severely injured in a railway wreck recently that his life was despaired of, he will be able to return to Amherst in six or eight weeks. He is getting along satisfactorily, but it will take him a long time yet to regain his strength.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles
DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures burns
DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures sores.
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Seasonable Dress Goods
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MILLINERY MERCHANDISE Goes at COST.

Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, Handkerchiefs, Ties, Windsors, Laces, Lace Scarfs, Fischus, &c., &c., &c.

Best Assortments and Lowest Prices.

Inspection solicited.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,
151 East Main Street.

The only [illegible]
Used in M[illegible]

The House of Commons' Wine-Cellar.

The wine-cellar of the house of commons is capable of holding some £30,000 to £40,000 worth of wine. It is over 200 feet long, with innumerable cellars branching from the main avenue. In this storehouse there is seldom less than £3,000 worth of wine. The various brands are selected in a curious way. Two or three well-known merchants send in samples of the wines they can supply. A napkin is fastened round each bottle and a number given to it. The judges then meet together, each having by his side a sheet of paper. As the wine is handed round, the judges record their impressions of it, and the brand that is most generally liked secures for the owner a lucrative order. On the way to the cellar is a cigar-room, a little compartment containing £1,000 worth of the best weeds. In the parliamentary sessions of average length, 7,650 luncheons and 10,650 dinners are served to the members, and 1,190 luncheons and 1,190 dinners in the strangers' room.—Tid-Bits.

Citizens' Mutual Telephone Co.

Offers an investment that will pay 40 per cent. per annum or more. You buy one share of the stock of The Harrison International Telephone Company, par value, $100, and five shares of the Citizens' Mutual Telephone Co., par value $10 per share, for $25, that is $150 of stock par value for $25.

The stock of The Harrison International Telephone Co. will be worth par within 18 months, and the stock of the Citizens' Mutual Co. will be worth par within six months; therefore within a year or eighteen months your investment of $25 will be worth $150. An investment of $50 will be worth $300, and an investment of $100 will be worth $600, etc.

If you want an investment to earn an income these stocks will pay dividends of not less than 40 per cent. on the amount invested, and the possibility is they will pay 60 per cent. on the investment.

Stock subscription books are now open at the St. Nicholas Hotel, first door west of ladies entrance, where the Automatic Telephone can be seen in successful operation.

Subscription on first allotment will be closed Thursday, Aug. 31. a28-dtf

EDNA GOLD MINING STOOK.

DOWN TO GOLD.

Information from the Edna Gold Mining Comeany property in Boulder county, Colorado, is to the effect that development work is being pushed ahead rapidly. The price of the shares since August 1st has been raised to 15 cents, and may go to 25 cents before December. Rich tellurium rock, such as was found in the adjoining Smoky Hill mine, worth $4.00 a pound, thickly studded with gold, is now being found at the bottom of the Edna shaft, and it gets richer as the work proceeds. Specimens of the gold ore will be in Decatur in a few days. Parties desiring shares in blocks of 1000 or more can still get them at 10 cents each. Several parties can go in together and the certificates will be issued in fractions of 1000. Per order of W. G. Nagely, secretary; J. J. H. Young, Decatur agent—aug. 9 dtf

THE MACON FAIR!

SEPT. 5, 6, 7 AND 8.

Among the Special Attractions will be a

BICYCLE * RACE!

Competition Open to the World!

A $40 PURSE

Or Provisions,

Divided into Three Prizes:

1st, $20, 2d, $15, 3d, $5.

Entrance Fee 10 Per Cent. of Purse.

Miss LILLY WILLIAMS

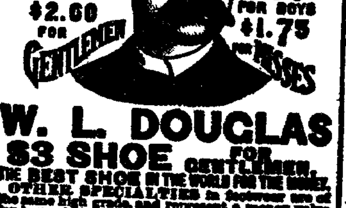
Of Bloomington,

Champion Lady Bicycle Rider of the world, will exhibit at the Fair Grounds every day, riding the Bicycle against a Horse.

Do not miss these Thrilling and Wonderful Feats.

W. H. WILLOUGHBY,
Secretary.

IT IS A DUTY you owe yourself and family to get the best value for your money. Economize in your footwear by purchasing W. L. Douglas Shoes, which represent the best value for prices asked, as thousands will testify.



W. L. DOUGLAS $3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN.

THE BEST SHOE IN THE WORLD FOR THE MONEY. OTHER SPECIALTIES in footwear are of the same high grade, and represent a money value far beyond the prices stamped. See that name and price are stamped on bottom of each shoe. TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE.

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JOHN HAGER, 736 East Eldorado Street,

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A SLUGGISH LIVER
CAUSES
Constipation, Sick Headache,
Dyspepsia, Nervousness,
AND DISTURBS THE SYSTEM GENERALLY.

For all such ailments, and to impart a natural, healthy tone to the Stomach, Liver, and Bowels, take

AYER'S PILLS
Every Dose Effective

GRAND OPERA HOUSE,
One Week and Saturday Matinee,
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Monday, August 28th.

THE MASCOT ATTRACTION,

Holden's Comedy Co.

In a Repertoire of the Latest Plays, Songs and Dances.

FRIDAY NIGHT,

"A Box of Cash,"
—AND—
"OUT TO NURSE."

SPECIAL—Hear the Mascot Quartette. This alone is worth the price of admission.

CHANGE • OF • PLAY • EACH • NIGHT.

Prices—10, 20 and 30 Cents.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer, commencing at and connecting with the north side of the present sewer on Hickory street, by means of a slant joint opening, at a point opposite the central line of the alley running north and south first west of Calhoun street, which said sewer is to be constructed from its said beginning point, north on the central line of said alley, a distance of four hundred (400) feet, north of the north line of Hickory street, together with all Y-junctions, entrances, manholes, catch basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of said city of Decatur, on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1893, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city, from the date hereof until four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 4th day of September, A. D. 1893, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

A bond or certified check in the amount of three hundred dollars, must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated August 22d, A. D. 1893.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

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Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer commencing at and connecting with the north side of the East branch of Broadway Street Sewer on Sangamon street, by means of a slant joint opening, at a point opposite the central line of the alley running north and south between North Broadway street and Morgan street, which said sewer is to be constructed from its said beginning point, north, on the central line of said alley, to the south line of Orchard street, together with all Y-junctions, entrances, man holes, catch basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto passed by the city council of said city of Decatur on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1893, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 4th day of September, A. D. 1893, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

A bond or certified check in the amount of three hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids

Dated August 22d, A. D 1893.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court of Macon County.

Blue Mound Savings, Loan and Building Association vs Joshua Ketcham et al—No 14,349. Bill for Foreclosure of Mortgage.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the June Term, 1893, of the said court, I, James J. Finn, master in chancery of said court, will, on

Tuesday, September 26, 1893,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. at the front door of the court house on Wood street, in the city of Decatur, offer for sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, subject to the redemption according to law, the property in said decree ordered to be sold, described as follows, to-wit: Lot one (1) in block five (5) of East Park Boulevards addition to the city of Decatur in Macon county.

Dated at Decatur this 26th day of August A. D 1893.

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.

MILLS BROS. & MILLS, Solicitors.

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Special Assessment Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the city council of the city of Decatur having ordered that a sewer shall be constructed, commencing at and connecting with Jasper street sewer on the central line of East Edmond street, thence running west to alley running north and south between North Calhoun and Clayton streets, thence north on said alley to Herkimer street to the alley running north and south first west of North Calhoun street, as located by the ordinance pertaining thereto, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk of said city, have applied to the county court of Macon county, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvements, according to benefits; and an assessment or special assessment roll thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had at the October term of said court, commencing on the 2d day of October, A. D 1893. All persons desiring may then and there appear and make their defense.

Decatur, Illinois, August 30, 1893.

J. M. BOWER,
P. A. MORAN,
E. P. REYNOLDS,
Commissioners.

aug31-d5t

Executors' Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the matter of the estate of James L. Neil, deceased. To Agnes E. Naftel, J. Wallace Neil, David S. Neil, Jennie B. Naftel, heirs, creditors and all parties interested in said estate:

You are hereby notified that on Monday, August the 28th, 1893, the executors of the estate of James L Neil, deceased, will present their final report to the county court of the county and state aforesaid and ask the court to approve the same. At which time and place you may be present and resist such application if you choose to do so.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1893

M. J. NEIL.
MARY E. NEIL,
Executors.

aug9-d3w

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of James Davis, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of James Davis, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1893.

SAMUEL C. DAVIS, Administrator.

aug29-d3w

WANTED SOLICITORS FIRST-CLASS

to handle the Official Directory and Reference Book of the World's Columbian Exposition. [illegible] ... W. B. CONKEY CO., Publishers, Chicago.

BARGAIN COLUMN

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

WANTED—A girl to do housework. Apply at 357 North Edward St. a30-d1w

TAKEN UP—A dark brown horse about 10 years old, weighs 1,200 pounds or over. Inquire at Davis' Auditorium barn, East Prairie street. Aug. 28 d1w

FOR SALE—The merry-go-round on North Water street, finest one made. Will sell cheap on account of sickness in family. See me at the swing or write J. M. ALBERT, Vandalia, Illinois. 29 d6*

FURNITURE AT COST.—Buy your furniture now at cost. The L. G. Kirtz stock of furniture to close out the business is now offered at cost. Come early and make your selections. Remember the place—north side New Square, Hayworth Block. JOHN A. BROWN. aug28-d&w1w

FOR RENT—For offices or light [illegible] business, the 2d and 3d floors over No. 107 S. Main St. Apply to J. W. CARTER at office of The Decatur Coal Co., foot of East Main street. 24-d6*

WANTED—A man to work in towns and cities in this and adjoining states. Must have five or six hundred dollars and good business ability. Leave name and address at this printing office. "X" a25-d6t*

FOR RENT—House No. 852 North Main St. Five rooms, besides pantry, closet and summer kitchen; well, cistern and cellar. Price $15 per month, payable one month in advance. Enquire of W. E. HUBBARD, 761 North Main street. 24-d1w*

LADIES—Who will do writing for me at their homes will make good wages. Reply with self-addressed, stamped envelope, MISS MILDRED MILLER, South Bend, Ind. 23-d1w*

MEDIUM AND CLAIRVOYANT — Mme. Veve Vee, phenomenal spiritual trance medium and peerless clairvoyant, tells all about your troubles, business transactions, love affairs, family difficulties. Brings separated together, locates treasures lost, or stolen property. See circular. 153 West North street, Smallwood Flats. a23-d1w*

MONEY TO LOAN—I have plenty of ready money to loan on improved city property. I will also loan on good property in surrounding towns. Terms, 6 per cent. interest on six years time. Call on or address SAMUEL McBRIDE, 215 North Main St., Decatur, Ill. a21 d1w*

107 ACRES of good land, 85 acres under cultivation, balance in timber, 6½ miles east of Raymond, Ill. Will trade for house and lot in Decatur. J. S. CAMPBELL, No. 9 Fenton Block. aug19-d2w

C. A. FOSTER, teacher of *high grade* piano playing. Beginning pupils received. Fall term opens September 4. Music rooms over Dr. Waltz' dental parlors, North Main street. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. a14-d1m

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court September Term, A. D. 1893.

Henry F. May et al vs. Allen B. Martin et al.—In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the defendants, James D. Miller, Daniel Miller and Ally Miller, are non-residents of the state of Illinois, notice is hereby given to each of you that the above-named complainants have filed their amended bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you returnable on the first day of the next September term thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur on the fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1893. Now, unless you, the said James Miller, Daniel Miller and Ally Miller, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer, or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 16th day of August, A. D. 1893.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of said Court.

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T. F. DREW. JAS. O'MARA.

DREW & O'MARA,
Attorneys at Law,
Room 13, Grand Opera House Block,
DECATUR, ILL.

WABASH HARVEST EXCURSIONS.

THE Wabash R. R. will on August 22d, Sept 12th and Oct. 10th sell harvest excursion tickets to principal points in the west, northwest, south and southwest at one fare plus $2 for the round trip. For rates, routes, maps, or any information desired, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. and T. A., Wabash R. R., Decatur, Illinois.

On account of the G. A. R. reunion, the Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Indianapolis and return at very low rates. Tickets will be sold Sept. 2d, 3d and 4th, good returning till Sept. 16th. For particulars, write or apply to C. A. Pollock, P. and T. A., Wabash R. R., Decatur, Ill.

On account of the Brethren Church National Conference, the Wabash R. R. will sell round-trip excursion tickets to Eagle Lake, Warsaw, Ind., at one fare. Tickets will be sold August 18th to 24th inclusive, good returning till Sept. 23d.

On account of the Evangelical Association, Sunday School Convention, and the German Campmeeting, the Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Linwood Park, Vermillion, Ohio, at one and one-third fare. Tickets will be sold August 7th to 23d inclusive, good returning till August 28th.

The Wabash R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Monticello and return at $1, account of Monticello Fair. Tickets will be sold August 21st to 26th inclusive, good returning till August 26th.

Palmer, Ill.—Account of picnic, $1.50 for the round trip. Sell August 24th, limit return Aug. 25th.

The Wabash R. R. will sell round trip excursion tickets to Bement at 50 cents on account of reunion of Seventh Regiment, Illinois Cavalry. Tickets will be sold Sept. 12th and 14th, good returning till Sept. 15th. 22-d5w

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PANA FAIR.—On account of the fair the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets on Aug. 29th to Sept 2d inclusive, Decatur to Pana, at $1.30 for the round trip, good for return until Sept. 3d. Tickets at city office or Union depot. C. O. JUDSON, Agent.

NEW TRAIN TO CHICAGO.—Commencing Monday, June 12th, morning train north on I. C. R. R. will leave Decatur at 7 a. m., with through coaches for Chicago, arriving at World's Fair grounds at 1 30 p. m. Returning will leave Chicago at 10.30 a. m., arriving at Decatur at 5:20 p. m. No change of cars in either direction. For tickets or further information, call on T. Peniwell, city office, or C. O. Judson, agent Union depot.

WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION.—The Illinois Central will sell round-trip tickets to Chicago, Ill., Sale of tickets to commence April 25th, 1893, and continue daily to and including Oct. 31st, 1893, going journey to be commenced on date of sale. Tickets limited to continuous passage in each direction, and good for return until Nov. 15, 1893. For tickets call on T. Peniwell, C. T. A., 110 Library Block, or C. O. Judson, Union Depot, Decatur, Ill. apr24

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. reduced rates to Chicago and the World's Fair. Tickets on sale on and after April 25th, from Decatur Station to Chicago and return at $7 15 for the round trip, sale to continue daily until October 31st, 1893, inclusive, tickets good to return until Nov. 15, 1893. Remember that the Central Route is the only railroad from the south whose trains enter Chicago without transfer or detour in full view of the Exposition buildings and makes regular stops at the World's Fair Gates. (World's Fair Station—Midway Plaisance.) For further particulars, tickets, etc., call on or address your local or nearest I. C. R. R. ticket agent

A. H. HANSON, G. P. A. Chicago.

apr24-d6mo

THE VANDALIA LINE has opened a city ticket office at 110 Library Block with the I. C. and P., D. & E. railroads. A full line of local and coupon tickets to Peoria, and makes close connection for all points north and north west; only one night out to Denver, Pueblo and Colorado Springs, and via Terre Haute and Indianapolis for all points east, north and south; only one night out for New York City. Harvest excursions August 22, September 12 and October 10. Be sure and call for further information, maps and tickets before starting on a journey.

T. PENIWELL, City Tkt Agt

P., D. & E. EXCURSION.

G. A. R. RATES for National Encampment at Indianapolis. The Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Railway desires that all its G. A. R. friends shall understand that we are making a one cent per mile rate from all stations to Indianapolis via Decatur and I., D. & W., or Big Four and Mattoon. We further propose to tender through arrangements and the very best equipment and car service obtainable. Our rates are exceedingly low, which will permit each and every one with their friends to attend the Encampment this year. Special tickets will be prepared for the occasion and be limited to continuous passage in each direction, with a final limit of Sept. 16th, tickets to be sold going Sept. 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th. I shall hope that each and all of you will avail yourselves of this opportunity to have a good time and assure the success of a grand reunion. We further feel that we owe our soldier friends every attention and we shall be only too glad to tender it to you all. For further information call on our local agent nearest you or address the undersigned F. A. WILLARD, D F & P. A., P, D & E Ry., Peoria, Ill. aug19-tilsept6

THE Peoria, Decatur & Evansville railway will sell tickets, all stations, Decatur north to Pekin, at one and one-third fare for the round trip, Sept. 5, 6, 7 and 8, 1893, account the fall race meeting at Lake View Driving Park, Peoria, Ill. Admission free to all parts of the ground. Railroad tickets sold for this occasion will be good returning Sept 9. Pick up all your friends, come and have a good time. For further information apply to local agents of the P., D. & E. Ry. or the undersigned, F. A. WILLARD, D. P. A. Peoria, Ill.

ON account of the National Encampment of the G. A. R. at Indianapolis, the I., D. & W. R'y will sell excursion tickets Decatur to Indianapolis and return at rate of $3 10 for the round trip. Tickets will be sold August 29th to Sept. 7th, inclusive, good returning until Sept 16th. This is the shortest line and the route selected by Dunham Post No. 141. Special train will leave Decatur at 1:30 p. m. Sept. 4th, bearing Dunham Post No 141 and Old Post No. 1. The public generally is cordially invited to join the special train C G. DORWIN, G. A., I., D. & W. Ry.

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FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass.... 8:45 p m	No. 9 Pass.... 6:30 a m
No. 4 Pass.... 11:45 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 4:15 am
No. 44 Pass.... 11:15 a m	No. 43 Pass.... 4:05 a m
No. 42 Pass.... 10:10 p m	No. 45 Pass.... 4:05 p m
No. 2 Pass.... 12:15 a m	No. 5 Pass.... 3:45 pm

FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass.... 10:05 p m	No. 43 Pass.... 4:[illegible] a m
No. 44 Pass.... 11:05 a m	No. 45 Pass.... 4:[illegible] p m
No. 4 Pass.... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass.... [illegible] p m
No. 6 Acc.... 7:00 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 6:[illegible] a m
No. 76, Freight 11:35 a m	No. 71, Freight 11:[illegible] a m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT
No. 42 Pass.... 3:30 a m	No. 44 Pass.... 6:[illegible] a m
No. 46 Pass.... 3:55 p m	No. 46 Pass.... 11:[illegible] a m
No. 41 Pass.... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass.... 10:15 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement 10.30a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement.. 9:15 p m

FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass.... 4:05 a m	No. 2 Pass.... 12:20 a m
No. 5 Pass.... 3:40 p m	No. 4 Pass.... 11:30 a m
No. 1 Pass., except Sunday. 6:30 p m	No. 6 Pass., except Sunday 6:35 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 126 pass. ex. Sunday.... 7:00 a. m	No. 123 pass. ex. Sunday.... 5:40 p. m
No. 124 pass. daily. .... 10:45 p. m	No. 117 pass. to Pana, daily.... 4:45 a. m
No. 102 pass. ex. Sunday.... 9:00 p. m	No. 121 pass. ex. Sunday.... 10.25 a. m
No. 161 pass. ex. Sunday.... 3:00 p. m	No. 105 freight, ex. Sun[illegible]
No 194 freight, ex. Sunday.... 2:20 p. m	[illegible]
No. 302 (Champaign Line) leaves, ex. Sunday.... 3:35 p. m	

INDIANAPOLIS, [illegible] WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	
No. 1 Pass... 2:25 p m	[illegible]
No. 3 Pass... 3:25 a m	[illegible]
No. 7 Freight. 9:00 a m	[illegible]
No. 9 Freight. 6:00 p m	[illegible]

PEORIA, DECATUR [illegible]

NORTH.

No. 3 Pass... 3:[illegible]
No. 41 Pass... [illegible]

WHITE F[illegible]

NE[illegible]
+[illegible]
4-IN-[illegible]
NEW ST[illegible]
NEW EN[illegible]
+In E[illegible]
New F[illegible]

OT[illegible]
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DR. F[illegible]

The well-known and [illegible] request of many frie[illegible] sented to visit

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And may be cons[illegible]

ST. NICHO[illegible]

From 9 a. [illegible]

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Administrator's [illegible]

Public notice is [illegible] an order and decr[illegible] con County, Illin[illegible] signed administr[illegible] Bashford rendere[illegible] of said court, to-w[illegible] 1893, I shall on th[illegible] D. 1893, between the [illegible] and 4 o'clock p. m. o[illegible] 10 o'clock a. m., s[illegible] north door of the co[illegible] nois, the following r[illegible] County of Macon an[illegible] Forty-four feet off o[illegible] (2) in block one (1) [illegible] Decatur, Macon cou[illegible] deed from W[illegible] Ashford recorded [illegible]

But described wit[illegible] four (44) feet in widt[illegible] lot three in block o[illegible] to Decatur, in the c[illegible]

Terms of Sale—O[illegible] of the purchase mo[illegible] April 15, A. D 1894 [illegible] secured by persona[illegible] the premises sold, w[illegible] chaser of paying [illegible] draw interest at 6 p[illegible] EDW[illegible]

july 31-d4w

This property is [illegible] Church street.

Chanc[illegible]

STATE OF ILLIN[illegible]
MACON COUNT[illegible]

In the Circuit Cou[illegible]

William T Moffet[illegible] Laura A. Evans e[illegible]

It appearing by [illegible] that the defendant[illegible] T. Evans, Edward [illegible] Evans, Keith Evan[illegible] residents of the sta[illegible] given to you that [illegible] ants have filed the[illegible] court on the chanc[illegible] suit is now pendin[illegible] upon issued out o[illegible] you, returnable on [illegible] tember term there[illegible] house in the city [illegible] Illinois, on the fo[illegible] 1893; now, unless y[illegible] William T. Evans, [illegible] David Evans, Ke[illegible] shall each be and a[illegible] term of said court [illegible] said bill of complai[illegible] confessed and a d[illegible] the prayer thereof [illegible] Dated this 10th d[illegible]

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

Public notice is given that by virtue of an order and decree of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, to me directed and signed Administrator of the estate of Frances Rashford rendered at the September term of said court, to-wit, July term, A. D. 1893, I shall on the 14th day of July, 1894, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., sell at public auction at the north door of the court house in Decatur, Illinois, the following real estate, situated in the County of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: forty four feet off of the north side of lot three (3) in block one (1) in E. O. Gibb's addition to Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, as described in the deed from William Rashford to Frances Rashford recorded in book 105, page 535

But described with greater certainty as forty-four (44) feet in width off of the north side of said lot three in block one in E. O. Gibbs' addition to Decatur, in the county and state aforesaid.

Terms of Sale—One half cash, and the balance of the purchase money to be due and payable April 15, A. D. 1894 Deferred payment to be secured by personal security and mortgage on the premises sold, with the privilege to the purchaser of paying cash, deferred payment to draw interest at 6 per cent per annum.

EDWIN PARK, Administrator.

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This property is known as No. 720 North Church street.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY,

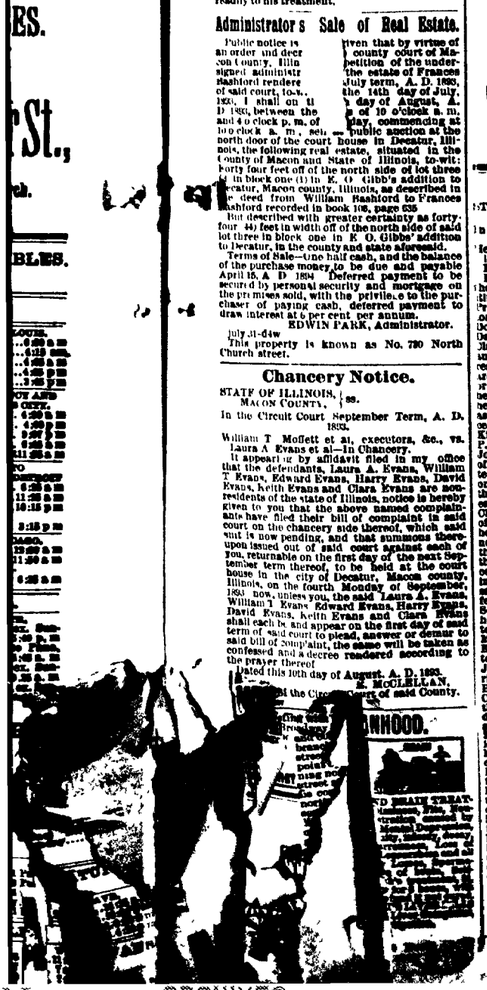
In the Circuit Court September Term, A. D. 1893.

William T Moffett et al, executors, &c., vs. Laura A Evans et al—In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the defendants, Laura A. Evans, William T Evans, Edward Evans, Harry Evans, David Evans, Keith Evans and Clara Evans are non-residents of the state of Illinois, notice is hereby given to you that the above named complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you, returnable on the first day of the next September term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the fourth Monday of September, 1893 now, unless you, the said Laura A. Evans, William T Evans, Edward Evans, Harry Evans, David Evans, Keith Evans and Clara Evans shall cause to be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof

Dated this 10th day of August. A. D. 1893.

E. MCCLELLAN,
Clerk of said County.



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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1893.

Henry F. May et al. vs. the unknown heirs or legatees of Willis Oglesby, deceased, et al.—In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the defendants, Anna M. Van Riper, John Van Riper, Frank Prather, Emma Prather, William Prather, John Warburton, Mary Ann Warburton, Mezekiah King, John F. Doane, Job P. Doan, Willis King, Harriet H. McCaskill, Daniel McCaskill, Richard Blake, John S. Mark, Lydia E. Clark, Jacob H. Beatty and Mary Elizabeth Beatty, are non-residents of the state of Illinois, and that there are persons interested in this suit as the heirs or legatees of Willis Oglesby, deceased, as the heirs of John S. Adamson, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Henry Prather, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of John Warburton, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Hezekiah King, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of John P. Doane, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Job P. Doan, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Willis King, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Richard Blake, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Edward Trowbridge, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of William King, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of John S. Clark, deceased, as the heirs or legatees of Jacob H. Beatty, deceased, notice is hereby given to each and all of you that the above named complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you, returnable on the first day of the next September term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the fourth Monday of September, 1893. Now, unless you, the said Anna M. Van Riper, John Van Riper, Frank Prather, Emma Prather, William Prather, John Warburton, Mary Ann Warburton, Mezekiah King, John F. Doane, Job P. Doan, Willis King, Harriet H. McCaskell, Daniel McCaskell, Richard Blake, Frances Blake, John S. Clark, Lydia E. Clark, Jacob H. Beatty, Mary Elizabeth Beatty, the unknown heirs or legatees of Willis Oglesby, deceased, the unknown heirs of John S. Adamson, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Henry Prather, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of John Warburton, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Hezekiah King, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of John F. Doane, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Job P. Doan, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Willis King, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Richard Blake, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Edward Trowbridge, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of William King, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of John S. Clark, deceased, the unknown heirs or legatees of Lydia E. Clark, deceased and the unknown heirs or legatees of Jacob H. Beatty, deceased, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint the same will be taken as confessed against each of you and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 16th day of August, A. D. 1893.

E. MCCLELLAN,
Clerk of said Court.

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Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer commencing at and connecting with Union Street Sewer, on the south side thereof, by means of a slant joint opening, at a point on the central line of North College street, which said sewer is to be constructed from its said beginning point, south, on the central line of North College street, to a point ten (10) feet south of the north line of the street and public highway, running east and west on the north side of College Square, with branches of said sewer running both east and west from said last named point, a distance of one hundred and fifty (150) feet, each way, and on a line ten (10) feet south of the north line of the last said street and public highway, together with all Y-junctions, entrances, main holes, catch basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of said city of Decatur on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1893, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until four o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 4th day of September, A. D. 1893, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

A bond or certified check in the amount of two hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council, and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated August 22d, 1893.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

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Sealed Bids.

Notice is hereby given that proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Highways of Harristown township, Macon county, Illinois, on the 2d day of September, 1893, for the painting of the following bridges, situated in Decatur township, Macon county, as hereon described, to-wit:

The "Spangler Bridge," spanning the Sangamon river, together with wings.

The "Priest Ford Bridge," spanning the Sangamon river.

The "Maffit Bridge," spanning the Sangamon river.

The "Stevens Creek Bridge," on the Springfield road.

The "Stevens Creek Bridge," on the Mt. Pulaski road.

All of the iron work, together with sub-boards, to be painted in a good and workmanlike manner. The commissioners to furnish all material and the contractor to furnish all tools and implements.

The painting of the above bridges will be let by public letting to the lowest responsible bidder at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. at the town clerk's office in the city of Decatur.

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids if they deem it for the best interests of the town, and no contract shall be considered as let unless the contractor shall within five days after the letting thereof enter into contract and file bond with three good and sufficient sureties with the commissioners in the penal sum of double the amount of the bid acceptable to the commissioners of the town upon failure to comply with the conditions of his or their contract. Said work to be finished by September 1, 1894.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 21st day of August, A. D. 1893

H. A. WAYNE,
GEO. STEVENS,
Commissioners of Highways.

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

CLOYD'S

SPECIAL SALE OF

CALIFORNIA CANNED FRUITS

will commence AUGUST 8th.

☞ Prices lower than ever named on good goods.

Buy all you need for the winter and save money.

144 EAST MAIN ST.

FRIDAY EVE., SEPT. 1, 1893.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DEEM & SON, tailors.

THIS is Decatur Day at the races.

A-LITTLE-out-of-the-way.

A-LITTLE-out-of-the-way-drug-store.

TYLER'S-little-out-of-the-way-drug-store. aug28-dtf

HUFFMAN'S Carabet cigar will please you. a21-tf

BUY your ice cream of I. N. Irwin & Co.

OYSTERS, first of the season, at Krebs. aug24-dtf

WALTER PARKER is spending the week at Champaign.

ICE cream for sale in any quantity, at I. N. Irwin & Co.'s.

BEEF MALT with celery, the finest tonic, at Dawson's pharmacy.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

YOU are invited to call and inspect our fall line of clothing. CHEAP CHARLEY.

MAGNETTA made a great finish in the 2:50 trot yesterday. She is a great Cornelian.

ALL the talk in the world will not convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for scalds, burns, bruises, skin affection and piles.

BUY family groceries, choice fruits and fresh vegetables at the Towne & Murphey store, 143 South Water street.

FALL goods are in and are beauties. Geo. W. Jones & Co., clothiers. aug23-dd-wtf

TELEPHONE 198 and get supplies for the table at Philip Kemper's grocery store, 757 North Water street.

KINDERGARTEN 327 South Main street, September 4th. Two sessions daily. aug23-dlmo MRS. W. J. BROWN.

THOSE beautiful Haines Upright pianos and fine Packard organs can be had only at the C. B. Prescott music house. Step in and see them.

THIS for the little ones. A child's four-wheeled toy wagon at 3s, 4s and 5s each, at Bartholomew's great clearing sale.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

PETE SMITH was put in the calaboose last evening by Officer Lord. Pete got into a row with Ed. Frost and Bill Etheridge.

ONE of the finest new fall line of clothing in the city at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s. aug23-d&wtf

SPECIAL attention is called to a proposition made by the Mutual Telephone company which appears in another column.

DIPHTHERIA, cholera—disinfect your home. Morehead's deodorizer, 25 cts., at Dawson's drug store.

S. K. RUDOLPH, the carriage trimmer, who has been residing on North Edward street, will reside at Burlington, Kansas, in future. He has shipped his household effects to that place.

WE could not improve the quality if paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best Salve that experience can produce, or that money can buy.

AN informal reception of a very pleasing character was given yesterday afternoon at 1145 North Edward street by Mrs. J. W. Kelly in honor of her guest Mrs. Myers of Illinois.

COLORED glass water bottles that have always sold for more than double the money are now going in Bartholomew's great clearing sale. You can buy them now for 35c, 50c and $1 each.

BURGLARS are after the property of George M. Brinkerhoff, the Springfield man who disappeared in Decatur July 29, and has not since been heard of. The thief stole a fine suit of clothes and escaped.

YOU can never have a really good complexion until the impurity is cleansed from your blood. What you need is a thorough course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which is absolutely free from all harmful ingredients, and therefore, perfectly safe.

Use Sheilabarger's
WHITE LOAF FLOUR
It is the best.

IF you can afford to be annoyed by sick headache and constipation, don't use DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these little pills will cure them. W. F. Neisler

The Pride of Decatur,
WHITE LOAF FLOUR,
The Blue Ribbon brand.

DANIEL C. BOLTON, a mason in high standing, and formerly roadmaster and builder for the old Great Western railroad, now Wabash, was killed this week in Texas by the premature explosion of a blast. He has three children residing at Springfield.

BLUE GRASS Carriage Shop, one block east of Sheilabarger's mill, Cerro Gordo street, has a fine line of Surreys, Buggies, Road and Spring Wagons. Do a general line of repairing, repainting, overhauling, &c. Come and see this line of new work and get rock bottom prices. april7-d&wtf

LITTLE vegetable health producers: DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure malarious disorders and regulate the stomach and bowels, which prevents headache and dizziness. W. F. Neisler.

A New Teacher.

Miss Jennie M. Patton has been secured to take charge of the shorthand and typewriting departments of Brown's Business College this year. Miss Patton graduated from the Decatur college two years ago, and since that time has had charge of the shorthand department of the Galesburg college, where she has had marked success. She will begin her work here at the opening of the term, September 5. aug30-3t

Something New Every Day

At Bartholomew's clearing sale. Step in the store and see the prices.

TRACK RECORD BROKEN.

A Mile Covered in 2:10 in the Pace at the Park.

Three Swift Heats—Magnetta in Good Form, Getting Third Place—Pilot Gift a Flyer.

Thursday was everybody's day at the race meeting, and nearly everybody and his cousin were there to witness the greatest trials of speed and endurance of the meeting. The grand stand was crowded at an early hour, and in the betting stretch and along the fence, horsemen and the knowing ones elbowed each other, while representatives of the 400 occupied the carriages over on the green. Along in the afternoon the visiting members of the Illinois Agricultural Board, escorted by Mayor Moffitt and other members of the local committee, were given seats reserved for them in the grand stand. Like other horsemen they didn't stay long away from the horses and they went below to see how mutuals were selling. Some came back. Others did not.

The first race was easy for Col. H., who went the first half in the last heat in 1.07¼, great speed for a three-year-old.

The second race was a walk-over for J. H. L., the wonderfully speedy Idol Wilkes horse. He broke the track record, lowering it four seconds, going the last heat in 2:10. Had he been out of the race, the contest between Blanche Louise, Nuthurst and Alexander Dumas would have occasioned more interest. Tip O'Tip was in bad form. The gelding broke badly and got distanced in the second heat. There was considerable cheering when 2:10 was hung out.

Delia Shipp had the best of it in the 2:50 trot, taking the three straight heats with apparent ease. Oakwood and the Decatur mare, Magnetta, were close seconds. Joe Ray drove Goldmont cleverly, but the others were too fast for him.

In the 2:33 trot it was a hard fight between Barada and Blue Blood, but the Nutbreaker strain was too much for Baron Wilkes. It took five heats and until dark to settle the contest, and Charleston got away with poor old Peoria.

THE SUMMARIES.

The summaries and official time of the races are given below:

TROTTING FOALS 1890—PURSE $100.

Col. H., by Dan McGregor; G. A. Fuller, Lincoln, Ill.	1	1	1
Lea, by Sidney; W. J. White, Rockport, Ohio.	3	2	2
Flashey, by Duke of Greenlake; S. W. Howell, Burrowsville, Ill.	2	3	3
Fearless, by Sandy Edsall; J. M. McConnell, Ponca, Neb.	4	4	4

Time, 2:27¼, 2:23, 2.20.

The first half of the last heat was covered by the Colonel in 1:07¼.

FREE-FOR-ALL PACE—PURSE $500.

J. H. L., by Idol Wilkes; Doug. Thomas, Paris, Ky.	1	1	1
Blanche Louise, by Red Wilkes; D. J. Hume & Son, Elizabeth, Ky.	2	2	3
Nuthurst, by Tutwood; C. F. Cecil, Danville, Ky.	6	3	2
Alexander Dumas, by Dumas; H. Lamb, Jerseyville, Ill.	5	6	4
Gipsy Girl, by Pilot Almont; Ribyre & Chadwick, New Harmony, Ind.	3	4	6
Red Lady, by Red Wilkes, A. A. Klitzmiller, Wichita, Kan.	8	5	5
Black Diamond, by Grey Harry; William Combs, Monticello, Ill.	4	7	dis
Tip O'Tip, by Peacock; C. Doble, Terre Haute, Ind.	8	dis	

Time, 2:12, 2:11¼, 2:10.

These were the fastest heats ever witnessed on the track, and the track record was lowered four seconds.

2.50 CLASS—TROTTING—$1000.

Delia Shipp, by Major Landers; Scott Hudson, Nicholasville, Ind.	1	1	1
Oakwood, by Cadmus Hamble; L. Copeland, Warrington, Ind.	2	2	4
Magnetta, by Cornelian; Breaseman Bros., Decatur, Ill.	3	3	2
Irma O., by Jim Wilson; Aston Stock Farm, Peoria, Ill.	4	4	5
Goldmont, by Mammont; T. F. Talbot, Harristown, Ill.	5	5	7
Honest Byerly; Louis White, Chillicothe, Ill.	6	6	6
Sam Weller; F. W. Notte, Mt. Vernon, Ind.	7	8	3
Philapena; Dorsey Stock Farm, Lyndon Station, Ky.	8	7	8

Time—2:21; 2:21¾; 2:23.

2:33 CLASS—TROTTING—PURSE $500.

Barada, by Nutbreaker; Neal Farm, Charleston, Ill.	1	3	2 1 1
Blue Blood, by Barn Wilkes; C. T. Luthy, Peoria, Ill.	3	1	1 2 2
Ollie K., by King Wilkes; T. B. Ripley, Lawrenceburg, Ky.	2	2	3 3 3

Time—2:22½; 2:23½; 2:25¼; 2 25, 2:26¾.

EXHIBITION.

Pilot Gift by Mambrino Gift, owned by J. Coleman, Peoria, came on the track to beat 2:19¾, and he paced the mile in 2:18. He started again and cut the time to 2:15¼.

EVENTS TO-DAY.

This will be the last day of the meeting. The bicycle contests will be called at 1:30 p. m., and then will follow the three-year-old pace for $400, eight entries; the free for all trot for $500, eight entries, with Jack Sheppard as the favorite, and the 2.25 pace for $1,000, with eight entries.

Died in Chicago.

Wednesday night W. B. Bell, familiarly known as Billy Bell, died in Chicago at the home of his sister-in-law Mrs. Oswin Mayo, aged 32 years. Fifteen years ago the deceased went to Chicago from Decatur. He was a nephew of the great cattle dealer, Barney McCue, of Buffalo, Hart, Ill., and had been with the Armour people ever since he went to Chicago; in 1886 he was promoted to head buyer at Omaha, where he has made his home. He leaves a wife, a Miss Annie Kehoe before her marriage, but no children. Mrs. Milt. Bivans and Miss Jennie Bell, of Decatur, are his sisters. The funeral was held to-day at Oakwood, near Chicago.

The Edna Gold Mine.

In the columns of the Daily State *Mining Journal*, Denver, Col., Aug. 29, appeared these paragraphs:

Recent reports from the Edna mine in Boulder county are very encouraging. A nice body of ore has been opened up in the breast of the lower level. Work is constantly going ahead and will result in the near future in making this mine one of the best in the state.

The Edna gold mine is looking up as work progresses. There has been two assays recently, one running $46.75 in gold and one oz. silver; one running six oz. gold and 20 oz. silver. There has been a good rich strike in the Amalgam Tube property. The section of the Sugar Loaf is certainly becoming interesting.

Opens Sept. 5.

The fall term of Brown's Business College will open Tuesday, Sept. 5. Those planning to attend this fall or winter should enroll them if possible. Special rates of tuition are offered until the opening of the term. Call at the office or address the college. aug30-d1w

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WILL MEET AT CERRO GORDO

Address by Judge Nelson to the Garver Family—Officers Elected.

At the business meeting of the Garver family reunion association, held at Riverside Park yesterday afternoon, officers were elected as follows:

President—C. H. Garver.
First Vice President—John Good.
Second Vice President—F. M. Garver.
Sec'y and Treasurer—J. G. Keller.
Com. of Arrangements for Next Year—Jonas Kellar, David Good, S. B. E. M., J. H., D. W. and J. G. Garver.

The committee on condolence reported the deaths of the following members of the family in the past year: Mrs. Mary Hummel, wife of David Hummel, of Lincoln; Mrs. Jacob Garver, of Humbolt, Kansas.

The president is 72 years of age, and Mr. Good is 81. It was voted to hold the '94 reunion at Cerro Gordo. In all there were about 200 people at the park. The formal exercises opened with prayer by Elder Field and a well-written paper on "Sociability," read by Miss Myrtle Garver. S. B. Garver, of Farmer City, and Elder Field gave short addresses. There were songs by J. W. Radcliffe and grandchildren.

Judge Nelson gave an extended address on ye olden tymes, and spoke in an interesting and entertaining manner of the struggles of the pioneers.

SUICIDE OF SHINNEMAN.

Coroner Bendure Holds an Inquest Near Emery at Night.

At 5 o'clock last evening Coroner Bendure was called to the farm house of William Hornback, east of Maros, to hold an inquest on the body of Harter Shinneman, aged 20, who had taken his own life by the effective use of a revolver. Shinneman leased the farm, and boarded with the Hornback family. During yesterday forenoon Harter said he was sick, and he remained in his room. At three o'clock the fatal shot was fired, the bullet entering back of the right ear and coming out on the opposite side. The real cause for the rash act may never be known. It is the gossip of the neighborhood that Harter fired the shot because he was disappointed in a love affair. Mr. and Mrs. Hornback were at home at the time of the suicide. They were afraid to go into the room, and a neighbor was called in to assist in the investigation. Harter left two notes reading as follows:

"I have studied over this for some time. This is nobody's fault but my own. I bid you all good bye."

"Nobody is to blame but myself."

Deceased was a son of Isaac Shinneman, a farmer of Weldon, DeWitt county. The verdict of the jury was suicide. Coroner Bendure drove to the scene and arrived in the city last night at 10:30 o'clock.

In Greenwood.

Last evening the funeral of the late George W. Downing took place from the residence of William T. Downing north of the city. It was very largely attended. There was a great profusion of floral offerings. Among the designs were a pillow, a broken wheel and an arch. The latter two were presented by members of the old volunteer fire department. A short service, consisting of a prayer by Rev. T. A. Parker and a hymn by the choir, was held at the house. The procession left the house about 3:30, with Goodman's Band in the lead, followed by the members of the volunteer fire department and six honorary pallbearers. Members of the old Rescue hose running team, of which deceased was a member, were in attendance. The line of carriages extended nearly a mile. At the grave Rev. Parker preached a brief but very impressive discourse. The choir was made up of Mrs. Bert Gher, Miss Nellie Gher, D. Strader and S. R. Gher. The honorary pallbearers were John Straubaugh, John DeFratus, L. P. Graham, John Mattes, William Young and Frank Blakeney. The active pallbearers were W. G. Frederick, B. F. Bobo, Charles Martin, Charles Waggoner, F. L. Stevenson and John H. Black.

A Dancing Party.

Miss Edith Durfee gave a delightful dancing party at Mrs. Sedgwick's hall last evening in honor of her guest, Miss Allen. There was a long program of dances, for which the Opera orchestra furnished music. Delicious refreshments were served. The guests were Misses Horton, Allen, Deel, Margaret Roberts, Lucy Roberts, Edith Lytle, Carolyn Griswold, Corinne Shellabarger, Nell Schroeder, Jeannette Chambers, Ethel Hanna, Eunice Scott, Jane Roby, Irene Armstrong, Gertrude Tyler, Emma Cain, Edith Race, Mollie Tuttle, Gussie Gorin, and Messrs. Latham Southers, Latham Silver, Bob Hays, Thad. Schroeder, B. Linn Blackstone, Charles Eyman, Will Armstrong, Harley Armstrong, Arthur Dumont, Edgar Jack, Will Pinck, Frank Hays, Lute Roby, Harry Roby, Fred Stoner, Mr. Goodson, Sherry Ehrman, Lute Shellabarger, Murray Millikin and Lou Eyman.

Golden Rod.

Golden rod is now in the heighth of its glory along the wayside and is especially beautiful this summer, the dry spell apparently having no effect upon it. Admirers of the flower, which might in truth be called the national floral emblem, are now seizing the opportunity of gathering the long golden spears which deck the country highways in lavish beauty.

To Whom It may Concern.

Parties wishing to invest in tax vouchers drawing six per cent, can be accommodated in sums from $100 up to $40,000 by calling at P. H. Hunt & Co.'s office, 547 Broadway street, between Eldorado and Cerro Gordo streets. This will make the best kind of an investment for parties with money, and it is the first time we have put them on the market for sale, as we have always carried them ourselves. P. H. HUNT & CO. aug31-dtf

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THE LATE MRS. MARILLA BAKER.

Late of One of the Pioneer Women of Macon County.

DIED—In Long Creek township, at the home of her son, Rev. N. M. Baker, Aug. 28, 1893, Mrs. Marilla Baker, in the 94th year of her age.

EDITORS DECATUR REPUBLICAN: As you have requested a sketch of the history of my mother, who has left us so recently at the extreme age of almost ninety four years, I send you the following:

She was born in Lincoln county, North Carolina, on the 29th of September, 1799, of that good old Scotch-Irish Presbyterian stock whose influence was so powerfully felt in shaping the institutions of this country. Her mother was a McCleary, whose father was wounded during the Revolution. Her father, Josiah Martin, was also a soldier in the war of Independence, and fought for liberty at Guilford Courthouse and at the Cowpens, and was near enough to the enemy's lines in the battle of King's Mountain to see the fall of Gen. Ferguson, the British commander.

Mother was by no means a vigorous child, and her parents scarcely expected that she would live to maturity. When she was about five years old the family removed to Rutherford county, Tenn., which was then a new country. Here she grew stronger and became a famous spinner of thread and weaver of cloth, and thought nothing of riding horseback a distance of forty miles.

She was married to William D. Baker November 13, 1823, and continued to live for about five years in the same neighborhood. But although her father owned slaves slavery was very distasteful to her and my father, and with the double purpose of getting away from slavery and of getting a home for themselves, they came to Illinois in 1828, spent one winter in the Ward settlement and then settled on section 20, in township 16 north, range 3 east, in what is now Long Creek township, from which they never removed. Here, of course, Mother's life was that of the ordinary pioneer woman, subject to all their privations and trials. She nursed father through a long and very dangerous illness when medical aid could not be secured, the nearest physician residing in Springfield. During the Black Hawk war she spent days and nights of anxiety, rumor having located the hostile Indians much farther south than they really were. She was the mother of six children, four of whom survive her.

It is not surprising considering her ancestry that she became a charter member of the first Presbyterian church organized in the county, which was the Cumberland Presbyterian church of Mt. Zion, or that she continued in the communion of that denomination during her whole life, or that she trained up her children in this respect to walk in her footsteps.

She taught her children patriotism, as well as religion, and her practice was equal to her precept, for notwithstanding the tenderness of a mother for her her youngest son, and the only one remaining at home unmarried, when during the great Rebellion I heard my country's call and asked her permission to go to its defense she consented with an alacrity which led me to suspect that she thought I might have gone a little sooner.

But probably I have written enough; as a son I could write pages of such a mother, and still not exhaust the theme.

It may be of more interest to consider the causes that may have enabled her to live so far beyond the average period; and I mention, first, a wonderful tenacity of life inherited from a long line of frugal and temperate ancestors. Second, the simple diet of the pioneers, to which she was accustomed the most of her life; she drank milk instead of coffee or tea until after middle age, and had never used tobacco in any form. Third, her habit of being constantly engaged in some useful occupation until after her eightieth year; fourth, her evenness of temper, her self-control. I have seen mother somewhat aroused. I have seen her indignant. She knew how to say "No" in a way that needed no repetition, but neither I, nor any of her children, nor anyone else, ever saw her in a passion, and to this more than to any other one thing I attribute her ninety-four years. But as an additional cause, I must not forget to mention her mental activity after physical labor became impossible, and this will be sufficiently indicated by a partial list of books to the reading of which she listened during the last few years when from the loss of sight she sat in almost total darkness.

"Life and Labors of Livingstone," "Stanley's through the Dark Continent and Congo free state," "Agassiz on the Amazon," Irving's "Life of Washington," "Columbus," "Mahomet," "Astoria," "Knickerbocker," "The Memoirs of Mrs. Judson," "Josephus," "Old North State," "Memoirs of Grant and Sheridan," "The Light of the World." All that could be obtained with regard to Egypt and the Holy Land, many church publications, Ben Hur and many other stories, for she was fond of fiction. To all the must be added her weekly church paper and the general news of the day, and last but not least her Bible. And to this activity of mind, for she thought the two of these things as well as heard them, I attribute the fact that her mental powers remained but little impaired till near the very last.

May such lives be multiplied for they are a benediction to every home that shelter's them. Yours truly

N. M. BAKER.

Surprise Party.

Miss Emma Boehm was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends at her home last evening in honor of her birthday. Games and dancing were the amusements. Those present were Misses Clara Brehm, Anna Yorkebs, Etta Eno, Emma Boehm, Maggie Bain, Minnie Ellis, Mary Dressen, Ida Watt, Minnie Scherein, Christina Bain, Anna Boehm, and Will Bain, George Dodweil, Ed Travis, Mike Godfrey, James Dowling, James Bain, Steve Hasey, Frank Hahmbacher, Tom Downy, Albert Kreseem. Refreshments were served.

Kindergarten.

1004 West Macon street, will open Sept. 4. Morning and afternoon classes. Seventy-five cents per week.

a31-d6* MRS. S. P. ACKERMAN.

MISS NELLIE CALHOUN, stenographer and typewriter, graduate of the Decatur Business College, can be found at her desk in the Columbia Clothing company's business office, No. 114 South Water street, ready to do short hand and Remington typewriting work on short notice at reasonable figures. Will call at business houses and offices to take dictation, if desired. tf

Fancy Colored and Satin Glass Tumblers, at 10 cents each—were 25c—at Bartholomew's clearing sale.

SPECIAL SALE

—OF—

New Fall Goods

Carpets and Shoes,

+THIS WEEK+

—AT—

JOHNSTON'S,

151 NORTH WATER STREET, DECATUR.

As we expect a great many visiting purchasers this week we have inaugurated a Special Low Priced Sale of New Fall Dry Goods, Carpets and Shoes, and invite everybody to do their trading with us, as we will sell them the very best goods for the least money.

DRESS GOODS.

Black and all colors of $1.00 quality Henrietta on sale at 75c yd.
New Hop Sacking Dress Goods, the Late Novelty, at 35, 50 and 75c yd.
Henrietta Dress Goods, all colors, at 25c—value 40c.
Black Dress Silk, $2 quality at $1.39—all weaves.
Black Dress Silk, $1.50 quality, at $1.15—all weaves.
Good Prints at 5, 6 and 7c yd.
7c quality of Muslin at 5c.
7c quality of Crash at 5c.
25c quality of Extra Wide Sheeting at 19c.
75c Table Linen at 48c.
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Special Sale of Carpets all this week to reduce stock Prices never heard of before.

Ingrains at 28, 33, 38, 44, 48, 59, 65, 69, 75c. See them.

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SHOES.

We have an elegant stock of new Shoes at Low Prices:
Ladies' $2.00 Shoes at $1.48; $3.00 Shoes at $1.98; $4.00 Shoes at $2.48.
Men's $3.50 Shoes at $2.50; $3.00 Shoes at $1.98.

CLOTHING—We are closing out a big stock of Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits of Clothing Regardless of Cost. Boys' Suits $4 00 to $12.50. Men's Suits at $5.00 to $15. A good chance to buy a suit at Cost.

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Tan, Heliotrope, French Terra Cotta, Smoked Pearl.

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A visit to our China Department will repay you.

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+SHOES+

—FOR—

ONE DOLLAR

We have a big lot of Ladies' Dongola Kid Shoes which have retailed regularly at $2 and $2.75, and they were worth the money for they are all solid. The sizes run from 2½ to 7. They are mostly small sizes and therefore most of them suited to the ladies of Decatur We will sell these shoes absolutely without any reserve until five hundred pairs are sold at the uniform price of ONE DOLLAR PER PAIR. Come while you can get them. In stringent times make your money buy more. Here is an opportunity in Ladies' Shoes such as you never before heard of. Come and see them and we know that you will buy.

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Is Certainly a LUXURY This Hot Weather.

THE AIR MATTRESS is the greatest invention of the modern age in the way of bedding. The Finest Bed in the World—Positively the Coolest Bed in Summer and the Warmest in Winter.

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By Cleaning up
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Disinfectants.
We Keep the Best to be Had.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST

After Dinner Coffees

In Carlsbad china used to sell at forty cents for cup and saucer. You can now buy them at Bartholomew's clearing sale at 25 cents.

DEES & SON, tailors.

"CANDLE LIGHT AFFAIR."

FRESH OYSTERS at Singleton's. 29-2w*

TEETH, $4—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

HUFFMAN'S Carabet cigar for a good smoke. s.21-tf

DOUBLE comedy bill at the Grand to-night.

IRWIN'S RAPID RELIEF cures all aches and pains.

OYSTERS, New York Counts, at Krebs. aug24-d1f

SOCIAL this evening at Westminster Chapel.

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25dtf

QUAKER DOCTORS' remedies at Dawson's pharmacy.

ICE cream for sale by the quart or gallon, at Irwin's.

YOU will like the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. Ask for them.

THE new Episcopal Prayer Book and Hymnal, at Dawson's book store.

UPPER or lower set of teeth, $3.00. J. M. Blythe, 157 E. Main street.

THE fall term of the Decatur Business College will begin Tuesday, Sept. 5th.

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

YESTERDAY Postmaster Hubbard paid off the office force, handing out as part of he cash $1,000 in gold.

Boom Decatur
by using
White Loaf Flour.

IF you want first-class Oil and Gasoline, buy of the Paragon Oil Company. Telephone 417. aug21.dtf

THE Sunday train to Bloomingdale Glens and Montezuma Park has been discontinued. O. G. Dorwin, T. A. I., D. & W. Ry.

ALL kinds of dental work done at reasonable prices at Smith's dental parlors, over postoffice. 22-d6

CALL and see our line of new ideas; new styles in fall clothing. Geo. W. Jones & Co., clothiers. aug23-d&wtf

WE guarantee Monarch mixed paints equal to any paint in the city. At Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

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The Best.

OUR complete line of Fall and Winter Clothing is now on our counters ready for our trade. Call and see it.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

FRESH oysters and fish received daily. Dressed poultry at the Pearl Oyster and Fish Co. house, 243 North Main street, or telephone 344

FALL and winter goods are arriving. One of the finest lines ever before placed on the market. Geo. W. Jones & Co. clothiers. aug23-d&wtf

A SUBSCRIBER writes to the Chicago *Journal* inquiring who the members of the present cabinet are. He applies to the proper place for information. The newspapers are the only medium by which the present cabinet can be kept from escaping the memory of the people.

WE have just received 500 more of the World's Fair maps, which we give away, free. Those who were unable ty get one the last two days can now be accommodated with pleasure.

OTTO E CURTIS & BRO.

THOMAS SMITH, a spectator from Springfield, had a streak of bad luck at the races yesterday. He got excited at the close finish of a heat. Some pickpocket relieved him of $35, all the money he had. It was the only case for the day reported to Marshal Lehman.

WARM weather makes a demand upon the vitality which you should be prepared to meet. In order to overcome its debilitating effects, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It purifies and invigorates the blood, sharpens the appetite, and makes the weak strong.

THE sociable at Westminster Chapel last evening was well attended. Miss Hartley and Miss Smith favored the audiednce with recitations, Mr. Smith sang two solos and little Ethel Towling sang two solos that pleased all who listened. Ice cream and cake were served, from the sale of which a neat sum was realized.

THE 7th Illinois cavalry will hold a reunion in Bement, Sept. 13-14. The following able and distinguished orators have been invited and are confidently expected to be present and address the old soldiers and citizens: Hon. Horace S. Clark, of Mattoon; Capt. M. Jones, of the 101 Ind. Vol. Infantry; Ex-Speaker G. W. Cochran, of Sullivan; Judge Francis M. Wright, of Urbana, and Hon. Francis M. Shonkwiler, of Bement, will deliver the welcoming address.

Get On to the Mug.

A child's mug, extra size, colored and plain glass, at 3 cents, worth 10 cent each, at BARTHOLOMEW'S.

MARRIED.

On Aug. 31, by Justice Paddecord, at his office, Louis E. Cain, Jr., and Miss Alice Cooper, both of Decatur.

DEATH IN AN OIL TANK.

Fate of Charles Wicks at the Clark & Co. Mill.

This forenoon Charles Wicks and Arthur Habreaker were engaged in cleaning the bottom of one of the large linseed oil tanks at H. S. Clark & Co.'s Linseed Oil works, on East Main street. The tank is about 12 feet deep, and in the bottom was about six inches of oil and dregs. Wicks was on the inside, and Habreaker on the outside. The manner of entering the tank was by means of a ladder, connected at the top by a rope. Habreaker had to carry buckets of oil drippings from the tank a distance of about 30 feet. Wicks called to him twice to take away the bucket. When Habreaker came back the third time Wicks did not respond to the call, and when Habreaker climbed to the top of the ladder and looked down, he found Wicks lying on his back in the oil with his mouth half open. He climbed down into the tank and touched Wicks, only to find him lifeless.

The alarm was given at once and after two hours' hard work the body was taken out and placed in charge of Undertaker Bullard, who had it washed and dressed. It was removed to the family residence 543 Condit street, where Coroner Bendure will hold an inquest.

Mr. Wicks was an Englishman, who had been an employe at the mill for about six months. He was formerly seven years with Jacob Bleuz, the butcher. His age was 41 years. He had a wife but no children.

It is believed that Wicks met his death by an accidental fall from the slippery ladder or was overcome by gas in the tank. The actual manner of his death may never be known. There is a slight bruse on his forehead and a red place on his elbow. He could not have been drowned. Possibly he had made an effort to climb out of the tank and while doing so fell to the bottom.

GALA DAY AT DANVILLE.

A Justice and an Attorney Precipitate a Free Fight in the Midst of a Trial.

Justice of the Peace Coburn and Attorney A. R. Hill had a fight yesterday at Danville while a trial was in progress before the justice. The court hit the attorney on the head with a law book and the attorney threw an ink bottle at his assailant. The missile missed the court but struck Alva Holycross, a small boy, in the stomach, doubling him up. The court and Constable Davidson then started after the attorney, who jumped out of a second story window to the ground. The justice tried to jump out of the window after the fleeing attorney, but was held back by by-standers. Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Biggs and S. P. Wheeler, witnesses, and one of the jurors then became involved in an all-round fight in separating the combatants. Constable Peyton received an ugly wound from an umbrella wielded by Mrs. Davidson.

An Old Story.

Mr. John Montgomery, who, with his sons, figured so prominently in the Emma Bond episode occurring half a decade since, in Christian county, was in this place Saturday, being a visitor with the family of Mr. Jacob L. Mann. In reply to many inquiries, Mr. Montgomery maintains that all the circumstances at the time and since, fully established the fact that it was simply a freak of fraud on the part of that young lady. Her friends were misled into a belief that she was a victim of outrages most foul. It was a put up job to hide the shame of her own crime. While this might be true, it was not so believed at the time, by the public. Her career since has been one of the doubtful character. She now lives in Pittsburg, Penn. Five thousand dollars did not pay Mr. Montgomery's defense expenses, to say nothing of the mob violence suffered by himself and family. In any event it proved to be a most sorrowful episode to all concerned, and the public as well. Emma Bond never was in the school house left as was claimed.—*Mt. Pulaski News.*

Suspension of Pensions Stopped.

Commissioner Lochren, of the Pension Bureau, yesterday issued an order modifying the practice of the office as to the suspension of pensions. The most important change is that which directs that hereafter there shall be no more suspensions except in cases where the record shows on its face that the soldier is not entitled to any pension whatever. It is believed that the number who come under this class will be very small. In speaking of this new order Commissioner Lochren said:

"The Secretary has for some time questioned the fairness of the old practice of the Pension Bureau which suspended the pensions during the inquiry as to the right of the pensioner to a pension at the rate he was receiving it. At his request the whole matter has been carefully considered, and the present order modifying that practice so as not to suspend the pension in doubtful cases, has been agreed to as more equitable."

The Officer Lowe Case.

Not long since Officer Lowe's eligibility to hold the position was investigated by the city council and the report was favorable for him. Now he is in trouble again and the subject of an investigation which is being quietly conducted by City Marshal Lehman. The trouble grows out of two arrests made by Lowe. Possibly Lowe will not be on duty to-night.

Attention, G. A. R.

The I., D. & W. railroad will sell tickets to Indianapolis account G. A. R. encampment at $3 10 for the round trip. Those desiring to visit Chicago can secure tickets Indianapolis to Chicago and return $4.64. Making only $6.75 for the round trip and enables you to take in the encampent and the World's Fair.

A Useful Map.

This office is indebted to the Hon. H. Manecke, state senator for this district, for a complete map showing the new congressional and senatorial districts of the state. It is a mighty handy thing to have about the house, and will save the annoyance of trying to carry the new apportionment in your head.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum.
Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

THE BICYCLE WINNERS.

Results of the Trials of Human Endurance and Speed at the Race Track.

A Great Crowd in Attendance on Decatur Day.

The grand stand at the Trotting Park is packed this afternoon to witness the bicycle contest and the races. There was a great show of wheels in the parade, and the riders in their suits cut quite a swell. The results in the wheel races were as follows:

FIRST RACE.

One mile safety, open only to Macon county wheelmen; 1st prize, gold medal, $20; 2d prize, gold medal, $15; 3d prize, gold medal, $10.

There were 10 entries for this race and only four starters. The result was: F. S. Coleman, Decatur, first; time, 2:45¾; F. S. Dodd, Decatur, second; Charles Batchelder, Warrensburg, third, and Harry Shlaudeman, Decatur, fourth.

SECOND RACE.

One Mile Safety—Open. First prize, diamond stud, $150; second, gold medal, $50; third, gold medal, $25.

There were 20 wheelmen entered in this race, and nearly all started. The result was: E. B. Miner, of Indianapolis, first, time 2:38½; Will S. Ruby, of Riverside, Cal., second; James Levy, of Chicago, third; E. J. Wegner, of Chicago, fourth, and C. H. Peck, of Chicago, fifth.

THIRD RACE.

Two-mile handicap—open—First prize, gold watch, $60; second, gold medal, $25; third, gold medal, $15.

There were 26 entries in this handicap, and nearly all of the Decatur lads were in it, but they did not win. C. H. Peck, of Chicago, was the victor, time, 5:19. James Levy, of Chicago, second; G. W. Denison, of Englewood, third. Nearly all of the late arrivals finished in a bunch. Bert Myers did not start, and Root dropped out at the end of the first mile.

The races were very exciting and created no end of interest.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Ed Pennell has returned from St. Louis.

Dr. Tobey left to-day for Macon on business.

Neal Putnam, of Virginia, Ill., was in the city to-day.

Will G. Bachman will leave to-morrow for Indianapolis.

Miss Annette Stumpf has returned from the World's Fair.

Walter Parker returned last evening from Indianapolis.

Miss Allie Robinson returned to-day from Buffalo Hart.

John R. Miller and E. McClellan left to-day for Mackinaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powers have returned from Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Remley, of Monticello, are in the city to-day.

Walter Tyler, of Taylorville, is the guest of Tyler Meriweather.

Attorney McCabe Moore of Kansas City is in Decatur on a visit.

Attorney and Mrs. Harry Urea of Monticello are in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Rhodes left to-day for their home in Monticello.

W. C. Pitner and son, Tom, will go to Chicago to-morrow to attend the fair.

Miss Carrie Powers and Miss Hattie Brown left to-day for St. Louis on business.

Howard Dow, agent for the McMahon 10 and 20 cent circus, to be in Decatur Sept. 4 and 5, is in the city to-day.

Miss Maud Foster and brother, George Foster will go to Chicago to-morrow to attend the World's Columbian Exposition.

Mrs. Emery Morris, of Mechanicsburg, Ill., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stafford, at 325 South Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powers, who have been at the World's Fair all summer, arrived home yesterday to remain a few days.

W. M. Masterson and wife of Jacksonville, Fla., are in Decatur to visit the family of Mr. M.'s uncle, C. A. Masterson, on North Church street.

Rev. C. H. Sheen is at Jacksonville attending the annual conference of the A. M. E. church. He was made chairman of the committee on Education.

Sales of Real Estate.

Robert Hunter to Sallie E. Waughop, a lot on Herkimer street, between Morgan and Broadway—$1500.

Mary J. Stough to John W. Stough, a lot on Gault street—$500.

Charles A. Armstrong to W. B. Armstrong, a lot on North church street north of Herkimer, $1.

James T. Roberts to O. T. Kirk, a lot in Crowder and Roberts' addition—$400.

B. M. Armstrong to James E. Armstrong, a lot on North Church street north of Herkimer—$1.

Will M. Lewis to Robert and George Hunter, deed to lot 16, block 4, Enterprise addition—$350.

Herman Coble to Michael Eichinger, deed to lot 6, block 5, H. Robinson's addition—$850.

Jane E. Peck to W. A. Ferguson, deed to lot 1, block 2, Park Place—$350.

Michael Eichinger to Fannie E. S. Coble, deed to lot 6, block 5, H. Robinson's addition—$850.

James E. Buskirk to Mary E. Collins, deed to lot 2, block 1, Quinlan's first addition—$900.

W. C. Miller to Robert Crangle, deed to lot 17, block 4, Wood's Walnut Grove addition—$136.

The Big Circus.

McMahan's circus will visit Decatur Sept. 4th and 5th. This show differs from all the other 10 and 20 cent shows, as their performance is chiefly riding of the highest class of bare-back riding. Among the riders are Miss Annie Carroll, well and favorably known as the principal attraction with the Barnum show for the past three years, Mr. Chas. McMahan, Toto Segrist and Jerome Bell; these together with other equally famous aerial acrobatic artists assure us the best entertainment ever given here. The show will be on the Wabash lot near the depot.

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The Fire.

The department was called out this forenoon by another grass fire on South Franklin street, near the Jackson street school house. Plenty of hose water put a stop to the spread.

IGNORANCE of the merits of DeWitt's Little Early Risers is a misfortune. These little pills regulate the liver, cure headache, dyspepsia, bad breath, constipation and biliousness. W. F. Meisler.

L. F. DELAND, the husband of the author of "John Ward, preacher," has been coaching the Harvard football team this summer and is said to be a genius at original maneuvers in the game.

LEFT THE CITY.

Members of the State Agricultural Board More Than Pleased with Decatur.

The visiting members of the Illinois agricultural board, who will do the right thing if they will but locate the state fair permanently in Decatur, had a fine opportunity yesterday afternoon at the Trotting Park to see what Decatur management can do in the way of bringing out a crowd at a race meeting. It was a large and fine-looking crowd, and all were orderly. There is no telling how big a crowd might gather if we got the state fair.

In the evening the guests of the city, who had the freedom of the town all day long, took dinner at Krebs' restaurant, where seven elaborate courses were served. Later the gentlemen visited the parlors of the Decatur and Calumet clubs, where the house committees and officers of the clubs received the representatives of the board in a cordial manner. Then the party with the local committee, by special invitation of Manager Haines and the Holden company, occupied the boxes at the Grand and witnessed the play, "A Captain in Petticoats."

The gentlemen left for Chicago on the midnight train, all expressing themselves more than pleased with their day in Decatur.

Took Off the Crew and Abandoned the Vessel.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 1.—The steamship D. H. Miller arrived in port this morning with the ship crew of the British ship Astoria. On Tuesday morning, twenty-five miles north of Hunting island, the Astoria was sighted with distress signals flying. The vessel was en route from Pensacola to Antwerp, loaded with yellow pine. Capt. Faulkner, his wife and a crew of twenty persons were taken off and the Astoria abandoned.

Great Destruction Demanding Immediate Relief.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Aug. 31.—Supt. Aurill of the Augusta & Port Royal road wires the Chronicle that the report of loss of life on the Sea islands so far exceed anything yet reported and will not fall far short of 600. Great destitution exists among the 7,000 remaining inhabitants, and an urgent appeal is made for aid in the shape of provisions, and clothes, all supplies having been entirely destroyed.

Disabled Vessels.

BEAUFORT, S. C., Sept. 1.—The Norwegian bark Annie, dismasted, was towed in yesterdry. The schooner Annie T. Gebener is in Cape Lookout cove and still leaking.

Quantities of lumber and other wreckage are coming along the coast. The British schooner Minesta is off the bar badly disabled and leaking, with part of her deck load gone.

Will Maintain the Independence of Siam.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—In the house of commons yesterday Sir Richard Temple, conservative, of the Kingston division of Surrey, asked the government whether or not France was keeping her pledge to respect the independence of Siam.

Sir Edward Grey, under secretary of the foreign office, replied that France had not withdrawn her assurance as to Siam's independence and that Lord Dufferin had gone back to Paris this week to resume negotiations on the lines accepted some time ago by France.

"Then the government adheres to the policy of maintaining the independence of Siam?" inquired Sir George Curson, conservative of the Southport division of Lancashire.

"The government has held to a neutral zone between British and French territories in Asia as an international necessity," said Sir Edward. "We have had no reason to doubt the sincerity of France's assurances that Siam's independence will be maintained."

ARMY U. A. R.

Preparations for the National Encampment Completed.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 1.—The extensive and elaborate arrangements for the meeting of the Grand Army national encampment next week have been completed. The attendance of members is estimated from 75,000 to 100,000, and free quarters in temporary barracks and school-buildings have been provided for 25,000 The railroads, as usual have given lower rates for this than any other year, and it is probable there will be 200,00 visitors in the city during the week. The city has been within the last two days elaborately decorated and the streets are fluttering with bunting, flags and various emblems of the G. A. R. and kindred organizations.

The ceremonies begin Saturday morning, when the annual reunion of the Naval Veteran association takes place, and the model of the Kearsarge, which has been erected in the capitol grounds, is put in commission. The Grand Army people will arrive during Saturday night and Sunday.

—Serious riots have broken out in the state of Durango, Mexico. The troops have been ordered out of Laredo and Escalon to quell the disturbance.

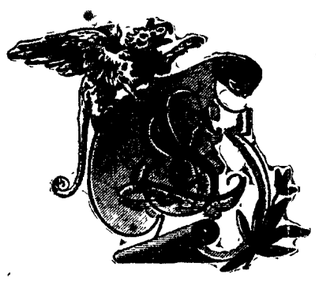
Afradgiting the Tresses.

There is a prospective rivalry between the chignon and the Queen Adelaide loops. Now the chignon isn't a pleasant thing even to fancy as a way of dressing the hair. It is the arrangement of the locks over a wire or stiff hair frame shaped like a cushion, which cushion is attached to the head by a slender tress. The appearance is that of a bag of small dimensions hanging to the back of the head. The Queen Adelaide loops are arranged on the top of the head in a fluffy sort of way. They are wonderfully effective to a certain type of beauty. But every woman isn't of that peculiar type. The hair must be brushed upward and massed on the top which is not becoming to noticeably long faces. Quite likely both the chignon and the Adelaide loops will be worn, with a third style as a compromise. The Greek knot may serve as a go-between and is a most effective style for a well-shaped head. The hair is arranged on the back of the head, brushed up from the neck, and coiled in shape where it seems most becoming to the wearer. Fortunately, hats and bonnets are so variously shaped this season that these styles of coiffure may be accommodated with convenient headgear.—Chicago Mail.

Two men who took part in Newark's "hunger demonstration," last week, applied to the police. One had been robbed of a gold watch that he valued at $125, and the other of $19.50.

One word describes it—"perfection." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve—cures obstinate sores, burns, skin diseases and is a well known cure for piles W. F. Meisler.

JOHN YOUNG, at the REPUBLICAN office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and prices.



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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

CHICAGO, Ill., September 1, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Opening.	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Sep.	63	63¾	62¾	62¾
Dec.	66¾	66¾	67¼	67¾
May.	....	....	....	....
CORN—				
Sep.	37¾	37¾	37¼	37¼
Oct.	38¼	38¼	37¾	37¾
May	41	41	40¾	40¾
OATS—				
Sept.	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Oct.	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
May	29½	29½	29¾	29¾
PORK—				
Sep.	....	....	....	15 00
Jan.	....	....	....	....
LARD—				
Sep.	..	....	....	7 92
Oct.	....	....	....	....
Jan	....	....	....	....
RIBS—				
Sep.	....	....	....	8 70
Oct.	....	....	....	....

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.
Wheat, all grades, 175, Contract.
Corn, all grades, 604, Contract.
Oats, all grades, 385, Contract.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.
Hogs 24,000; $4 75@5 60.
Cattle 5,000, Strong.
Puts on Dec. wheat..... 67¼
Calls " " " 68¾

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.
Wheat, 109, Corn, 750, Oats, 385.
Hogs 19,000.

THE NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

ARGENTA NEWS.

Clinton Nixon and family of Weldon and two cousins from Ohio, also Mr. and Mrs. James Litzenberger, visited at George Meyer's on Sunday.

Rev. H. T. Athey preached his last sermon on Sunday previous to attending Conference.

Everett Lindley, who had his skull fractured by the kick of a horse, is recovering rapidly. Dr. E. D. Carr has charge of the case.

Mrs. Evaline Still has rented her home farm to her son, Charles Wilson, who will return in the spring from Iowa. Mrs. Still has purchased property at Riverside in Decatur, to which she will move.

Frank Wood, living on the Charles Wilson farm, will move to his father's farm north of Cerro Gordo.

Mr. S. M. Currier is repairing the room vacated by W. E. Hartman preparatory to its occupancy by the postoffice

Frank Harman, the blacksmith, is now working for William West.

A tramp passed through Argenta to-day who wheeled a cart containing his luggage. Next, I suppose, they'll travel on bicycles.

Prof. J. N. Wilkinson of the Emporia, Normal School of Kansas returned home to-day after a visit to his old home.

Charlie Smith is with Otho Phillips in the telegraph office during Fleming's absence at Monticello.

H. C. Griffin shipped a car of hogs on Monday.

Henry Kuhns of Oreana made a short call here yesterday.

W. K. Coulter and family are visiting in Kansas.

Clint Nixon and family of DeWitt visited friends here last Saturday.

Joseph Higgins of Monticello paid us a short visit on Tuesday.

The Jeter-Brown stock of goods is rapidly closing out at special sale.

W. H. Wikoff has improved the appearance of his house by fresh paint.

Dr. C. N. Denison is removing the gravel from the bed of Friend's Creek on his Dantown farm; he says there is enough material on the farm to make a mile of gravel road.

Aug. 30

FOR SALE—Combination lady's or gent's bicycle, good as new; cushion tire and an elegant easy running wheel for $35. Come and see it at once if you want it for it will soon be sold. F. SANFORD, 257 North Main St. 31-d1w*

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